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**EBAL basketball underway tonight**

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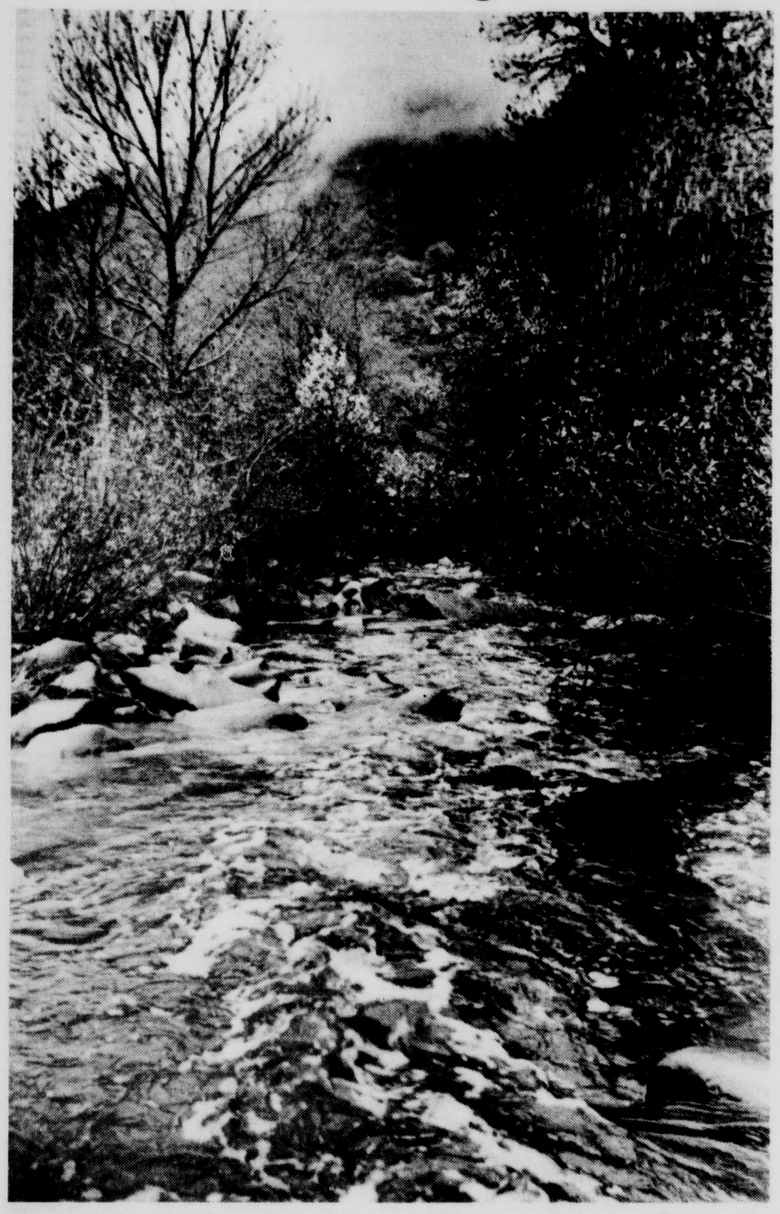
## Good sign



Alameda Creek, the Valley's outlet for sewage disposal, has become a rushing stream due to recent storms bringing torrents of rain to the Bay Area.

# Comforting water outlook: quality up, supply steady

The Valley will receive about the same amount of water from the state that it did last year and should be in good shape if residents continue to conserve, an official said yesterday.

Zone 7 of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, the Valley's water wholesaler, will receive at least 13,813 acre-feet of water this year, the state Department of Water Resources has announced. This is approximately the amount taken in last year.

Of this amount, 3,500 acre-feet was carried over from last year. Zone 7 General Manager Mun Mar said this was done so pumpage from wells would not be so great as to require that new wells be drilled on the east side of the Valley.

With less recharge of wells last year, the Zone was able tocarry over this additional amount. As the water is delivered, it can be put directly through treatment plants and delivered to customers, thus lessening the need for pumping underground reservoirs.

Another 434 acre-feet of water allocated to Zone 7 came from Southern California entities who agreed to make available a portion of their entitlements.

The Valley consumed about 13,000 acre-feet of water last year, Mar said, with users having conserved about 25 percent of their normal usage.

The state says the allotments are based on the water supply as of Dec. 1, and will be increased each month if winter rainfall increases the total amount.

Water quality should be getting better as a result of the recent rains, forcing saltier Delta water into San Francisco Bay. The longer term supply depends on snowpack in themountains, with runoff supplying water into reservoirs.

Major reservoirs showed increased levels during the last part of December although they are still below normal due to the extended drought. Rainfall totals are currently slightly above average.

Pardee Reservoir, a major supplier to customers of the East Bay Municipal Utilities District which serves part of San Ramon, is filling at the rate of one foot per day and is presently nine feet above its water level at the same time last year.

This figure does not reflect only rainfall totals, however, since reservoirs upstream are releasing more water than they are getting to avoid overflows should the wet weather continue.

The National Weather Service predicts more rain. Northern California is expected to continue receiving rain through Friday.

## Hasseltine questions cancer study

**Lesher News Bureau**

MARTINEZ — Supervisor Eric Hasseltine, Danville, cast doubts Tuesday on the validity of the current county cancer study.

Hasseltine said the study should be expanded to include of all the Bay Area counties.

"What good will it do to compare cencer rates between Brentwood and the industrial areas of the county," he asked.

"Unless we expand the program the results will be inconclusive," he said.

Hasseltine said he was afraid that the Contra Costa study statistics would be "bandied" about, and the data would be superficial.

Dr. Orlyn Wood, county Health Officer, said she would like to study to include the whole Bay Area.

She said the county has been asking the state Department of Health for the past four years for an area-wide study. The state Department of Health asked the Bay Area Air Pollution Control District to make the study.

"So the buck has been passed around," said Wood.

Wood noted that the county Health Department has been deluges for 10 years by requests from physicians and community groups to do an in-depth study of the county cancer rate.

"The cancer incidence is higher in Contra Costa than it is in the state and the nation as a whole, but not higher than the rest of the Bay Area," she said.

The current $269,000 study is being funded by the Environmental Protection Agency.

The purpose of the study is to:

--establish the sites and types of cancer on the body for which the rates differ between the industrial and predoninantly residential parts of Contra Costa County

--establish the relationship between the site and type of cancer as related to the occupation in the heavily industrialized and residential parts of the county using the yers 1974-1976.

--study the histories of 100 patients through interviews to find out if life-styles have a bearing on the cencer incidence.

Supervisors in December passed a resolution supporting state Senator John Nejedly's efforts to expand the current study.

If no decision is forthcoming, the tattered bags will be replaced with new ones.

## Livermore hopes to dump sandbag mess

LIVERMORE — The unsightly sandbags on P Street may be around for awhile. But the city hopes to start work on a permanent barrier along that stretch of street between First Street and Railroad Avenue within a month.

It all depends on progress made at the city council level to decide exactly how the barrier should be built. City staff will be meeting with Southern Pacific, which owns the shopping center land, and perhaps the major tenants, Safeway and Long's, this week to discuss the best traffic flow pattern.

The subject came up in October, when the sandbag barrier was erected to test traffic flow. After a month public works director Dan Lee came back to the council with recommendations to build a raised concrete island to effectively channel the left turn-in traffic adjacent to the First Street intersection, which he labeled "among the top accident locations in the city."

However, council members could not agree on where to make turn cuts or how to handle traffic plans. So they sent the project back to the city staff to meet with property owners and tenants and find means of working out the problems before installing a permanent median.

Lee said they had difficulty contacting all involved parties during the holiday season. He hopes to return to the counci with a report at the Jan. 16 meeting.

Meanwhile the sandbags continue to tear and spill in unsightly lumps along the busy street. "If the subject is on the agenda by Jan. 16 we can do some maintenance to keep the sandbags from becoming a hazard," Lee said. But if the issue drags on longer, the city may have to replace all the bags with new ones.

*Far busier*

## SRV planners feel the building boom

DANVILLE — The San Ramon Valley Planning Commission has been doing three times more work than its counterpart in Orinda.

Tht's the picture statistics draw.

Harvey Bragdon, assistang planning director of Contra Costa County, outlined the various county planning commissions' workloads during 1977.

The County Planning Commission heardd about 280 zone charge applications, land use permits, gereral plan amendments and similar type matters, said Bragdon.

Last fall, the county established area planning commissions in Orinda and the San Ramon Valley to take some of the burden off the county board and give more individualized attention in those areas.

Meeting once a month since October, the Orinda Planning Commission had heard about 19 applications by its last meeting a week ago.

But the San Ramon Valley Planning Commission, operating in what Bragdon has called the county's "hotspot" of planning activities, has heard approximately 65 applications, according to the planner.

He said the county's zoning administrator has heard about 565 applications during 1977.

## Late rush, seven to run in Pleasanton

PLEASANTON — An eleventh hour rush yesterday entered four more candidates into the city council race, giving voters a field of seven from which to pick two council members March 7.

One hour before filing closed, Michael Minahan, Edmond Alves, Oliver Anjo and Edwin Meyer threw their hats into the ring along with previously announced candidates Walt Wood, Stan Kephart and John Foley.

Some names may be familiar. Four council hopefuls have been involved on boards in city or county organizations and commissions. But the wide-open race has also attracted newcomers to area government.

Minahan, 26, is a self-employed carpenter who hopes to bring "youngblood" to the city and concentrate on providing good recreational services to residents. This is also Foley's first experience in politics. The 33-year-old purchasing agent for an Oakland construction company says he wants taxes kept down and good police and fire protection.

Retired airline pilot Meyer, 44, is another newcomer who was not available for comment yesterday. However, he listed various business experiences on his filed candidate statement and indicated he is concerned with future business development in town.

Wood, a planning commissioner for the past eight years, is well-known and considered by some to be a leading contender in the race. He says he wants to make council members more responsible for various city departments, adding that he plans to reveal a plan to accomplish that end later in the campaign.

Anjo, a retired military man, is active in the CARD Committee, a local citizen activist group fighting the valley waste water export pipeline. His candidacy is expected to make the pipeline and an initiative drive to halt the project without valley-wide voter approval campaign issues.

Kephart, a criminal justice specialist with the San Jose police force, has served on the Alameda County Human Relations committee and the Valley Mental Health Advisory Board. Although formal endorsements haven't yet begun, his nomination papers were signed by council member Frank Brandes.

The final candidate, Alves, serves on the Housing Authority board of directors and owns a grocery and liquor store in Livermore. He is a second generation Pleasantonite and a former member of the Alameda County Sheiffs pepartment.

## Chamber leadership

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## Man dies despite aid

A Livermore man was apparently dead on arrival at Valley Memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon after being brought there by police who answered an emergency call at his Aster Lane home.

Louis Jones, 58, of 1209 Aster Lane was pronounced dead after doctors worked for a half-hour to restore his pulse and breathing which failed prior to his arrival at 4:12 p.m., according to a hospital spokeswoman.

Further details were not available pending a decision on whether to refer the case to the county coroner.

## *Nipper hearing stalls*

— Alameda County Planning Commission posptponed a hearing on Carl Nipper's Sunol ridgeland development two weeks and turned down John Heine's appeal asking a lot split on 50 acres at Castlewood yesterday.

Nipper's plan for 120 units on the Pleasanton Ridge was continued at his request so he can review a new staff report on his request.

Heine lost his appeal 6-2 with only Commissioners Martin Kauffman and William Carpenter voting for him. He wanted to divide a 50 acre lot in half on Quail Court, but the commission majority agreed with Planning Director William Fraley that the narrow steep road cannot support another lot.

## Trustees settle with Newlin next Tuesday

Trustees of the Amador and Pleasanton school districts will meet in special session next Tuesday at Dublin High School to consider the resignation submitted by Superintendent Bruce Newlin almost two weeks ago.

The joint session is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., thirty minutes before the regular meeting of the Amador Valley Joint High School District board.

Newlin, back at his desk yesterday after the holiday vacation, reconfirmed that the Norwalk-LaMirada Unified School District has asked him to report on Tuesday, Feb. 14. However, Newlin said he has no commitment or plans to

See 'Decision,' pg. 7

## Recreation

### Big grants for 2 parks

Government grants of more than $200,000 have been tentatively approved to help build and develop two recreation areas in the Valley, the state Department of Parks and Recreation has announced.

A state grant of $100,000 has been approved to install sewer and water linps to support a future sports complex at Robertson Park in Livermore.

The state has also recommended that $111,539 of federal Land and Water Conservation Fund monies be used for partial purchase of a 20-acre park near the Danville Station development in San Ramon.

If approved by the federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, funds to reimburse the county for the purchase price of the 20-acre park would be received after it has been acquired. The area is located between San Ramon Creek and the Southern Pacific railroad tracks.

The grant will cover 50 percent of the acquisition costs, with the rest financed by county funds.

The proposed park would be for "active use" and is planned to eventually include several soccer fields and baseball diamonds, tennis courts and a community use building.

Tom Hanson, adviser to the R-7 county service area citizens' advisory committee, said the grant recommendation "puts us a step ahead" towards realization of the park project.

Agreements to acquire the land have been made but not formalized, Hanson said. Construction contracts will be let early next year.

Livermore Area Recreation and Park District official Lowell Bergman said the district had requested $114,000 for the sewer and water line construction at Robertson Park. The government will pay approximately 75 percent of the project's costs.

The improvements will allow for more development, including a planned sports complex at the east side of the park. It would eventually include three lighted softball fields, two soccer fields and restroom facilities.

Work could begin by May on the project, Bergman said.

# Washington's impact here at home

PERSPECTIVE 1977-1978

WASHINGTON For the Livermore Valley, the year 1977 in Washington was one of major chamges (at least in form) and of new prominence in the national headlines for issues involving Lawrence Livermore Laboratory and Sandia.

There were some stories from Washington that involved the Valley without touching on the labs. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission shut down the Vallecitos test reactor. And LAVWMA got $17 million in federal money after a deadline was extended.

But those were really local stories. And as the federal arm extends into so many areas, such stories are likely to come from Washington regarding any community from time to time.

The unique interests of the Valley in Washington lie in the military, energy, science and budget issues that directly affect the jobs of about 8,000 people pox on Livermore's East Avenue.

Accordingly, p.a1pt herewith a list of headlines from Washington in 1977 (in alphabetical order):

**B-1 killed, Revived**: The importance of this story to LLL/Sandia may not be great in terms of dollars because it does not involve expenditures on bomb research, just the actual production of the plane. Still, the Carter decision to abandon the plane came at a time when LLL was involved on its first bomb — as opposed to mussile warheads — ever.

The bomb — the B-77, which incorporates FUFO (Full fusing option), a major new development in security — can still beused in other planes. The hitch in that prospect is the Carter decision was put in terms of a policy to downplay bombers generally. At any rate, near the end of the year the House approved a compromise which would allow construction of the fifth and sixth B-1s.

The Senate has not acted on that bill, though it has strongly rejected other B-1 bills. Senator S.I. Hayakawa (R-Calif.) has spoken out in favor of the plane, which is produced in Southern California.

**Brown named Pentagon chief**: Boy wonder director of LLL almost two decades ago, Harold Brown has proven to be one of Carter's most popular appointees as he steers a moderate course.

He has not been a major administrator spokesman, but instead has been spending his time working on complex policy matters internally.

**Budget hikes**: As they have each year for the past several, LLL and Sandia won significant budget increases. LLL, which only a few years ago was sinking to the 5,000 employee level, was in 1977 approaching 7,000 in 1977 — for the first time — and its projections of over 8,000 by the early 1980's were looking better and better.

**Collective bargaining dropped**: Representative Pete Stark (D-Oakland) called a halt to efforts to get LLL employees collective bargaining and LLL management (the University of California) — faced with an imminent Congressional victory by Stark — gave up on its stonewalling. The compromise was reached underwhich LLL labor practices were officially brought into line with those UC management says have always been systemwide.

Stark claimed he got what he really wanted; UC said nothing changed.

In some ways 1977 was not very unusual.

**Congress reorganized**: This one may be of more interest to lab management than the rank and file. It means — what with the old Joint Committee on Atomic Energy being abolished budget pictures have to be drawn for different people. In 1977 many of those people acknowldged their lack of expertise in LLL/ Sandia matters.

At any rate, no major hitches developed.

**Department of Energy formed**: When the old Atomic Energy Commission was abolished and the Energy Research and Development Administration formed in 1974, LLL officials were concerned about having to deal with different people and a different structure. But the change did not end up affecting too many people.

A more aggressive public relations policy shook up some old hands,some energy programs got higher level attention and some letterheads and decals got changed. But generally things went on as usual.

The same promises to be the case under the Department of Energy. The major weapons oficials have not changed, and most of the major energy ones have not been named.

**Neutron warhead okayed**: The President still has not made up his mind — and the European reaction — but the House and Senate strongly approve LLL's most controversial addition to the U.S. stockpile.

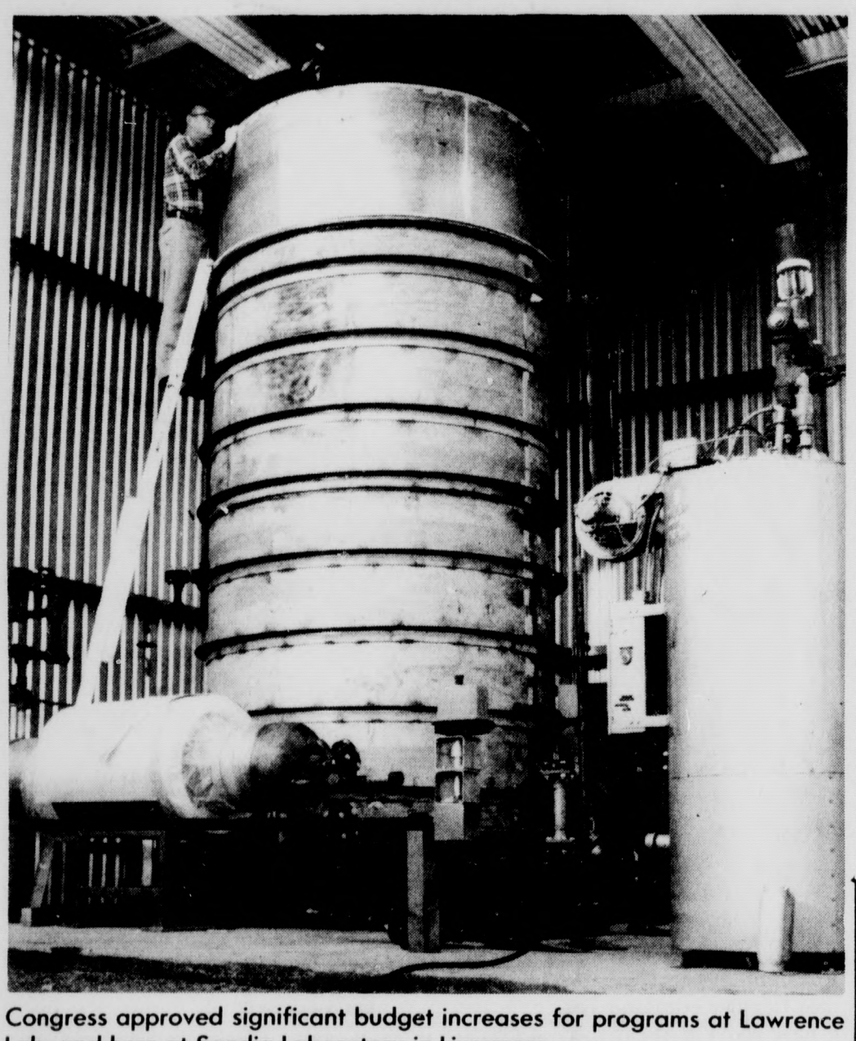
**Nuclear engineer innaugurated pr President**: Seemed worth a mention.

**Plutonium shipments restricted**: In the face of publicity about flights of the most deadly substance into and out of Livermore and other airports, the Department of Energy cut back such shipmentsto virtually none.

**Test ban moves forward**: For the first time, the Soviet Union came out in facvor of banning all nuclear tests — both peaceful and military. That has been the official U.S. position for years and it was given a new emphasis by President Carter in the very first days of his administration. In his last press conference of the year Carter said talks on the issue are now proceeding with some succesSS.

If such a treaty is concluded it will revolutionize the entire weapons program at LLL. Weapons scientists in general oppose a treaty saying testing is the very heart of the scientific process. Eliminated, it would mean increased emphasis on computers, laser fusion or other simulation methods, all of which — scientists say — would involve imprecision and uncertainty.

**— by Martin Gottlieb.**



Congress approved significant budget increases for programs at Lawrence Lab, and here at Sandia Laboratory in Livermore.

## Drunk driver reprieve

MARTINEZ — Convicted drunk drivers won't lose their drivers' licenses if they agree to enroll in a new county treatment program.

The year-long treatment program, provided for under new state legislation, was unanimously approved Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors.

The board also approved a first year budget of $108,242 to run the project, known as the Post Conviction program. Human Resources Director Claude Van Marter told the board the county's cost would be $66,000 with the remainder of the funds derived from fees charged to participates.

Van Marter said the voluntary program would be eventually self-supporting through client fees, costing $500 per person. He noted, however, that no one will be refused treatment because of their inability to pay, so the budget is based on an estimated average fee of $430 each.

The fees will be on top of any fines meted out by the court.

Several supervisors, however, expressed concern over whether enough money could be collected from participants to make the program self sufficient.

Alcoholism Program Direct Jerry Nava said ased on the experience of four pilot projects begun two years ago in four California counties, the program has successfully maintained itself.

"Everyone has been able to pay something," he said, and in most cases, persons have been able to pay the full amount.

Furthermore, he continued, most drunk drivers are employed, because "it costs a sufficient amount of money to sustain such a habit."

Assistant District Attorney Gary Strankman said the program would also cut down trial costs, which tend to get expensive because of all the experts usually called in to testify. He said the program would probably eliminate a lot of trials.

The program "addresses the real problem of early intervention for alcohol abuse and alcoholism," Van Marter said. "The traditional approach of fines, license suspensions, etc., avoided dealing with the underlying issue and seemed to have little impact on the ever increasing problem of the public's health and safety upon the highways."

"The underlying philosophy ... is to allow persons to assume responsibility for their own lives and to accept the consequences of their own behavior," he noted.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## DSRSD stalls sewer contract until Jan. 12

DUBLIN — The Dublin San Ramon Services District (DSRSD) has postponed accepting a final sewer service contract submitted by the Livermore, Amador Valley Water Management Agency (LAVWMA).

The proposed contract, effective Feb. 1, 1978, was tabled last night by DSRSD directors. The board pointed out a 40-page report was missing, and aggreed it would be best to wait for that report and verify facts presented in the official LAVWMA statement.

The directors will schedule a special session before Jan. 12 to iron out details.

DSRSD legal council said stalled negotiations between the district and Pleasanton on a proposed sewer expansion facility couldcould also adversely affect the contract agreement with LAVWMA. The council advised further study regarding the complication.

The contract deals with agreements between East Bay Dischargers Authority (EBDA) and its members plus LAVWMA and its members which include DSRSD, Pleasanton and Livermore.

The purpose of the contract is to establish guidelines for LAVWMA to hook up to an EBDA effluent pipeline that would ultimately dump treated waste water into San Franciscio Bay. The 31-mile interceptor and outfall system is estimated to cost $28 million. Discharge rights involve a maximum average daily flow of 15.62 million gallons.

LAVWMA's interceptor point is set for a site about one mile north of the proposed Oro Loma pump station.

To help foot the bill, the proposed contract involves providingfor issuance of the principal amount of LAVWMA revenue bonds to a maximum amount of $8.5 million. DSRSD's costs would be near $750,000, DSRSD director Lila Euler said.

City of Plesanton councilmembers will vote on the contract Jan. 10; Livermore, Jan. 9.

This newest document has been approved by LAVWMA counsel Ken Scheidig and board negotiator Euler.

**by Sue Vogelsanger.**

## Valley obituaries

### *Henrietta Knee*

Services will be held today for Henrietta Knee, a Livermore resident who died Friday at the age of 77.

Born in Utah, she moved to Livermore six years ago. She was a member of the Livermore Senior Citizens, The Womens Club, American Legion Auxilliary 47 of Livermore, the American Association of Retired Persons, as well as the Livermore Auxilliary of the Veterans of World War I.

She is survived by two daughters, Thelma Pastor of Hayward and Doris Mamie Aven of Encino, a sister, Abbie Moore of Ventura and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Avenue in Livermore. Interment follows in Memory Gardens Cemetery. The family prefers memorial contributions to the Heart Fund.

### *John Rosales*

Livermore native John Rosales died in a Vallejo hospital Saturday. He was 77-years-old.

Before retiring in 1965, Rosales was a linotype opertor for the Vallejo Times-Herald for eight years. He also worked for the Livermore Herald many years ago. He was a member of the Bay Area TryographicalUnion, 21, the Pressman's Union and the Musicians Union Local 6, all of San Francisco.

He is survived by a son, Joseph Rosales, Jr., of Texas; a sister, Eva Rochin of Livermore; an uncle, Frank Higuera of Livermore; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. His wife was the late Violet Rosales.

Recitation of the Rosary will be held tonight, 8 p.m., in the Chapel of Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Avenue in Livermore. Mass of Christian Burial is tomorrow at 10 a.m. at St. Michael's Church, followed by interment in St. Michael's Cemetery. Visitation begins today from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m., as well as tomarrow from 7 to 9 p.m.

Family prefers contributions to the Cancer Society.

### *Phillip Dickie*

Services are planned for Phillip Dickie, an 87-year-old Livermore resident who died Monday. Born in Healdsburg, he lived here for the past eight years and was a member of the Carpenters Union, Local 36.

He is survived by his daughters, Phyllis Orloff of Livermore and Barbara Carmichael of Hawaii, his son, Myrle Dickie of Illinois, his brother, Fred Dickie of Santa Rosa, plus numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Visitation is open today and tomorrow at Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Avenue in Livermore, from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Recitation of the Rosary will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in the mortuar chapel. Friday a Mass of Christian Burial bepins at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pinole. Entombment follows at Sunset-Mausoleum, Berkeley.


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# Political fight over New Melones water

By David Hoffman
Time's Washington Bureau

Although it's scheduled for completion within a year, the future of the New Melones Dam in the Sierra Nevada foothills remains clouded by legal and political questions.

When finished in parly 1979, the dam will rise 562 feet above the Stanislaus River, stretch a quarter mile across at its crest, and hold 2.4 million acre-feet of water.

But before the massive reservoir 45 miles east of Stockton can be filled, the U.S. Supreme Court must settle a major water rights dispute between California and the federal government.

Meanwhile, the Carter Administration is coming under increasing pressure to allocate the water supply from New Melones between differing political factions.

How these uncertainties are resolved during 1978 could be of vital significance to the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta, according to interviews with delta water officials.

In addition, they say New Melones illustrates a basic problem facing water development in California: even when the new project is filled and put into full operation, it still won't satisfy the area's demands for new water. This tends to support a recent General Accounting Office study which found that the construction of massive new water projects won't solve California's chronic water shortages.

On the legal front, New Melones is at the center of a water rights dispute in which California is attempting, in effect, to force the federal government to use water from the dam for delta enhancement. The U.S. Supreme Court has agreed to settle the case, probably next spring.

Meanwhile, construction moves forward on the $306 million dam and hydroelectric power plant, being built by the Army Corps of Engineers but scheduled to be turned over to the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation for operation as part of the Central Valley Project.

Already, the bureau is facing a highly political decision over which of two rivals will receive the additional water produced by New Melones: the delta or San Joaquin Valley growers.

Both sides have been frequent adversaries in the past over water development — including the Peripheral Canal — and the jockeying over New Melones has been no less intense than before.

For Example:

- An influential San Joaquin Valley congressman, Rep. B.F. Sisk, D-Fresno, played a key role in getting the New Melones service area enlarged to include agricultural interests in his own congressional district. Sisk then attempted to have the delta disqualified from the larger area.
- In a counter-punch, delta water interests enlisted the support of Rep. John J. McFall, D-Manteca, whose district includes most of the eastern delta. With McFall's help, they won a high-level briefing in Washington a few weeks ago to plead their case before top Interior Department officials.
- Either way, the New Melones service area is seriously overextended. A bureau spokesman, Jerry King, said that requests have been made for about 1 million acre-feet from within the area, but at most only 200,000 acre-feet are available. The service area now stretches from the east delta to northern Merced county.

"There's no way that very one can get the water they need," says Tony Coehlo, administrative assistant to Sisk. He added that "someone's not going to be included" in the final allocation.

New Melones, an earth and rockfill dam, was the subject of a 1974 ballot initiative in which environmentalists sought to halt the project and preserve the Stanislaus as part of the state's Wild and Scenic Rivers system. In particular, the dam's opponents feared it would destroy white-water boating along the Stanislaus.

The referendum failed, allowing construction to move ahead, but that didn't end the project's legal and political headaches.

When the bureau sought a state permit in 1973 to operate New Melones, it was denied on grounds that the federal government hadn't developed an adequate plan for water use. The bureau filed suit — saying it didn't have to meet the state's conditions — and was upheld last year by the U.S. Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals in San Francisco.

The case, now before the Supreme Court, is crucial because of the delta's long-standing demand that the bureau should honor state water quality laws — particularly in the delta, where salt water intrusion from the bay is a constant threat.

Moreover, the case takes on added significance because New Melones is the only dam in the entire Central Valley Project expressly authorized by Congress for water quality enhancement.

Delta forces aren't waiting for the final outcome, however, and have launched an all-out offensive to win a share of the limited New Melones water from the valley.

"If we don't make our case on this one, we're out of business," says John Wilson, a Stockton lawyer who represents the South Delta Water Agency. "We're desperate to hold on to what we can from New Melones," he added.

It's generally agreed that the highest stakes in the New Melones water fight are for the South Delta, an area east of Tracy long ago cut off from fresh water supplies when the San Joaquin River was dammed to irrigate the valley.

But according to Tom Zuckerman, a lawyer who represents the Central Delta Water Agency, "any victory for any part of the delta will rub off on the others" in terms of improved water quality.

Wilson says New Melones water is the delta's "last hope" for revitalizing the depleted San Joaquin, which would be improved by additional flows coming down the Stanislaus. "The Stanislaus is the only tributary left — they've totally controlled all the others," he said.

For their part, Sisk's valley growers have sought to disqualify the delta from New Melones water on grounds that they won't comply with the 160-acre limitation on farms receiving federal water.

"The 160-acre limit has no rational application in the delta," responds Wilson.

Meanwhile, a few observers have criticized the expansion of the service area when, in fact, there wasn't enough water to meet the demand it created.

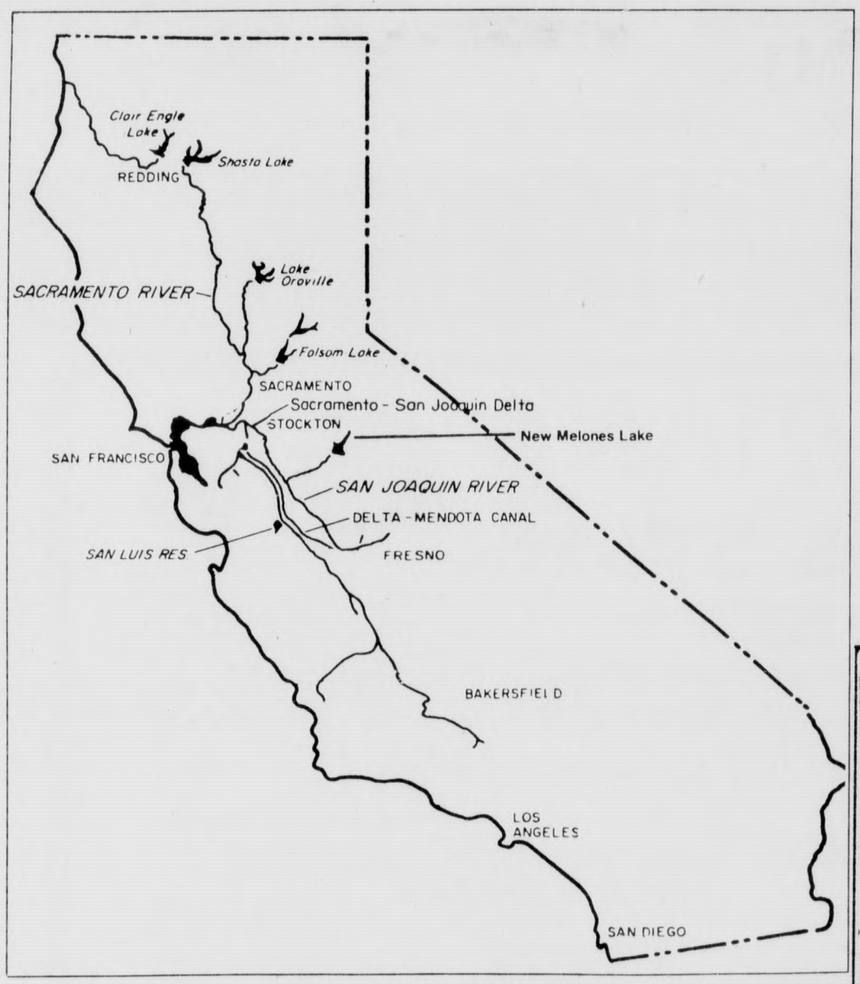
Zuckerman, the central delta lawyer, charged that the larger service area gives the bureau a "free hand" to "choose what contracts they want" and avoid sending water into the delta.

David Weiman, a water and land reform lobbyist in Washington, says it is common for the bureau to "set up a larger political base" around a water project "but then they can't provide benefits to people who are expecting it."

This could be corrected, Weiman said, if the bureau signed contracts with water users before completing a dam — instead of after — "to identify the beneficiaries early on." Along the same lines, the General Accounting Office, an investigative arm of Congress, last October criticized plans for massive new water development in California. The GAO said it was "questionable" whether new dams could meet the never-ending demand for new water supplies.

This now appears inevitable in the case of New Melones. "It's perfectly obvious that there's only 200,000 acre-feet," says bureau spokesman King. "I don't think anyone knows how we are going to divide it up right now."

Facing upstream along Iron Canyon, showing the New Melones Dam at approximately the half-way mark in its construction. The old dam and the practically empty Melones reservoir are visible at upper center.

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# Arts council meets

The Livermore Cultural Arts Council has scheduled its first meeting of the year for tonight at 7:30 at the offices of the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District, 71 Trevarno Rd.

Election of officers for 1978 heads the council meeting's agenda, along with discussion of the children's theater. Youth Art Month and the Guatemalan Youth Symphony.

### JOHNNY WONDER

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# inside the arts

## Local scene

# M&M's child talent

The tasty product they "pitch" may not dissolve in one's mouth instantly but the kids doing the pitching for M&M's will certainly melt your heart.

Especially the curly-haired blonde tyke!

The latter will be readily identifiable to Valley theater-goers who attended "Gypsy," put on by the Pleasanton Playhouse/Chabot, "Carnival," performed by Valley Performing Arts Company, and numerous other shows in the Valley and Contra Costa County.

That would be Jill Whelan, an 11-year old who resides in Livermore.

Jill can be seen, along with a half-dozen or so other youngsters, in the M&M's commercial that reportedly debuted nationally last week.

We happened to see the commercial while on New Year's holiday in Reno.

Though Jill has made commercials before, this is first national commercial.

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The New Year's trek to Reno and South Lake Tahoe gave us the chance to see The Captain and Tenneille at Harrah's South Shore Room, backed by comedian Kip Addota, and singer Andy Williams and Foster Brooks, "the lovable lush," at The Nugget's Celebrity Room.

Though we are not "fans" of any of the above, all put on very professional and "well - worth - the - price" shows.

Brooks, who got his first major break in show business at age 59, is particularly good and, to boot, has an excellent singing voice. Brooks is now 65 (which is hard to believe) and works well with most singer-star acts like Williams.

The Nugget show New Year's Eve went off despite a leaky showroom roof that precluded the appearance of Bertha and Tina the performing elephants. Also, one of Williams' two excellent backup singers was having a ball in the background, gesturing and yakking at Williams' lukewarm attempts at humor.

Toni Tenneille and The Captain of the Keyboard, Darryl Dragon, put on a tremendous show at the gorgeous South Shore Room.

We tried to catch the show at Harrah's-Reno (Connie Stevens and Larry Storch) but lost out to the "SRO sign."

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Repeating for those who may have missed it. The Valley Performing Arts Company's production of "Plaza Suite" has been cancelled. It had been tentatively scheduled for February.

VPAC is expected to meet soon and consider a production for this spring.

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The All-West Tomorrow Film Festival is scheduled through Saturday at the Willows Theatre, 1975 Diamond Blvd., Concord.

—By Al Fischer

# Get out those dance shoes

Local dancers can again get their exercise and fun — no matter what their age — from area dance classes being sponsored by the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District.

Helga Ishikata will again instruct creative, modern, pre-ballet and ballet dance classes for LARPD during their Winter 1978 program. Scottish and international folk dancing, social dance and fashion modeling have also been scheduled in the cultural programs section of activities for the new season.

Information on all classes is contained in the brochure which will be delivered this week to Livermore residents.

The international and Scottish dancing classes are new to LARPD, and will be taught by the team of Wes Ludeman and Carolyn Hunt. Participants will learn line and couple dances from Europe, the Middle East, Canada and the United States, with emphasis on fold dance steps, rhythms and patterns.

Scottish social dancing is performed in sets and partners are not required to sign up for the classes. International folk dancing will be held Tuesdays from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial Building, at a cost of $8.50 for a six-week session. Scottish dancing will be at the Livermore Presbyterian Church Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9 p.m. The cost is $12.75.

For information on the LARPD classes — which also include tole and decorative painting, aerobic excercise, modeling, nature walks and sculpture, contact the LARPD office at 447-7300.

Pre-school registration is January 10, and general registration is January 12 at the Recreation Center, Eighth and H Streets, Livermore from 7 to 9 p.m.

Time to get out your dance leotard and register for those LARPD classes, as instructor Helga Ishikata demonstrates with a student.

## Leaning less

PISA, Italy (AP) — The Leaning Tower of Pisa stood still in 1977 for the first time since sophisticated devices to measure its movement were installed in 1913.

The tower leans 17 feet off the perpendicular.

# Callaghan's show opens

Livermore native Frances Callaghan will be honored at a reception to be held Sunday, January 8 from noon to 4 p.m. at the Livermore Art Association Gallery, Third and K Streets, Livermore.

Callaghan, the designated "Artist of the Month" at the gallery, will be present at the reception, which is free and open to the public.

Her art themes are derived mostly from Valley scenes, especially local hills and rural areas. Her watercolors are also on exhibit at the Golden Brush in Pleasanton and at Tegenes Art Gallery in Auburn, California.

Callaghan's paintings will be on exhibit at the gallery through January 29. Hours are from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Wednesday through Sunday.

# Marceau, Taylor featured at Cal

Internationally famous mime Marcel Marceau, jazz pianist Cecil Taylor and the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater are some of the upcoming offerings for the University of California, Berkeley's 1978 CAL arts season.

Beginning January 8, CAL's season will offer a variety of theater, music, dance and arts events, ranging from Hungarian Folk Ballet to the San Francisco Symphony.

Highlights of the season include an appearance by world renowned mime, Marcel Marceau, who will make a Feb. 3 and 4 visit to the campus, in shows at Zellerbach Auditorium.

Also slated is an appearance by the Twyla Tharp Dance Company. Tharp is both prominent and controversial in her choreography of such works as "Push Comes to Shove" and "Deuce Coupe." The company will appear February 15, 16 and 17 in Zellerbach.

Claudio Arrau, the Chilean pianist, will give a solo recital in Zellerbach Auditorium Tuesday, Jaunuary 17, and Cecil Taylor, one of the country's most dynamic jazz pianists, will make his visit later in the year, on March 12.

For ethnic music and dance fans, Jose Molina Bailes Espanoles (March 15), Odessa Balalaikas, a group performing Russian and Slavic folk melodies (March 5) and the Hungarian Folk Ballet of Budapest (February 18) are all part of the bill.

Finally, theatre offerings include "Life is a Dream," a celebrated Spanish theatre production by Pedro Calderon de la Barca, "El Grande de Coca Cola," a hit nightclub farce, "Two Gentlemen of Verona," and "Mummemschanz," the Swiss mime mask theatre.

For information about tickets and performances, call 642-9988.

# PAL still seeking logo

The Pleasanton Cultural Arts Council is still seeking entries for its logo contest from area junior high and senior high school students.

First prize in the contest is a $50 savings bond, and second prize is a $25 savings bond. Ribbons will also be awarded for the top five alternates.

A logo, which is a design which will represent the Council, should be legible in a one inch square, and should be attractive in black and white. The entry should be able to be photographicaly reproduced on letterheads and membership cards.

Deadline for the contest is January 13, and entries should be brughti to the Cultural Arts Building, 4477 Black Ave., Pleasanton from 9 a.m. to noon.

For more information, call Howard Neely at 846-4848 or 462-1411.

## Events

# New Year's arts

The beginning of the year is a fine time to catch up on cultural pursuits.

And there's plenty to see in the Valley right now, and all through the month.

The showing of paintings by **Mary Langham and Diane Axton** at the Pleasanton Franklin Savings and Loan continues through February 15. The exhibit is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, located at 561 Main St.

The Pulitzer prize - winning piece, **"Air Music"** by Ned Rorem, will be featured this week by the San Francisco Symphony. Edo de Waart conducts the program which includes Weber's Overture to Euryanthe and Berlioz' Symphonie Fantastique. Performances are scheduled Friday and Saturday, Jan. 6 and 7 at the San Francisco Opera House.

Members of the Bella Lewitzky Dance Company

Paintings by local artist **Barbara Joan Smith** are still on exhibit at the Golden Brush Art Gallery, Mission Plaza Center, 1987 Santa Rita Road, Pleasanton. The show continues through January, and features watercolors, florals and victorian figures.

**San Francisco Ballet** opens a new season January 10, with works such as "La Fille Mal Gardee (The Badly Guarded Daughter)," "Firebird" and the electric Japanese drama, "Shinju." For ticket information, call the Opera House Box Office at 431-1210.

**Oakland Symphony** plans a program with world-renowned violinist Yehudi Menuhin Tuesday, January 31. For ticket information, call 465-H400.

And, coming to Chabot College on January 13 is a special dance event — the **Bella Lewitzky Dance Company**. The group has been described by the New York Times as displaying dazzling gymnastic prowess, and they have garnered rave reviews all over the nation and in Europe. Tickets for this very special event will be $3. For information, call 782-3000.


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# Local weddings on winter scene

MR. AND MRS. JAMES HODGINS

## *Hodgins - Turpin*

Tracy Turpin and James Hodgins were married at St. Michael's Church in Livermore by Monsignor Robert Adams Sept. 24, 1977.

Tracy, daughter of Joan M. Turpin of Livermore, graduated from Livermore High School and from Livermore Adult Education in 1975. She is presently employed at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory as a technician.

James, son of James and Pauline Hodgins of Livermore, graduated from Livermore High School and from Chabot College in 1967.

A honeymoon cruise to Mexico followed a reception in St. Michael's Hall.

MR. AND MRS. ROY MISKEL

## *Finney - Mayo*

Lou Ann Mayo and Michael Alan Finney were married August 13 at Pleasanton Community Presbyterian Church.

Lou Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Mayo of Pleasanton graduated from Amador High School in 1974 and will graduate from California State University Chico in Spring 1978. Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Finney of Palo Alto, will also graduate in the Spring at CSU Chico.

The young couple went to Carmel for their honeymoon, following a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL FINNEY

MR. AND MRS. CRAIG ERKER

## *Erker - Vega*

Virginia Ann Vega and Craig Erker were married Oct. 22 in an afternoon ceremony at St. Joseph's Church in San Jose.

Virginia is the daughter of Asension Vega and Dolores Lara. She is an alumnus of Westmont High School and West Valley College. She is employed at Kaiser Hospital in Santa Clara.

Craig is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Erker. He's a graduate of Amador Valley High School and is currently attending San Jose State University.

Leticia Vega was the maid of honor and Mark Medras was best man. A reception at St. Michael's Hall in Saratoga followed the ceremony.

## *Miskel - Anderson*

Pamela Anderson and Roy Miskel were married Aug. 27 in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Streufert at Trinity Lutheran Church in Pleasanton.

Pamela is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Anderson of Pleasanton. She is an Amador High School graduate and is currently studying at California State University, Hayward. Pamela is employed at Bellina's Pizzeria.

Roy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Miskel, attended Foothill High School. He is employed by MB Associates in San Ramon.

Kathy Edge was matron of honor and Tom Berberich acted as best man. A reception followed in the church's hall. A honeymoon to Carmel and San Simeon was planned.

## *Forney - Pugh*

Cindy Pugh and Mike Forney were married Sept. 17 at the United Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Robert Vogt.

Cindy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pugh of Pleasanton. She is a 1975 graduate of Dublin High School and is currently employed at K-Mart.

Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willford Forney of Fremont. He is a 1975 graduate of Mission San Jose High School and is employed with The Bankers Life Company.

Barbara Talbot was matron of honor and Richard Moore acted as best man for the couple. After a reception at San Ramon Country Club, the couple left on a honeymoon to Newport Beach.

MR. AND MRS. STANLEY SEDILKO

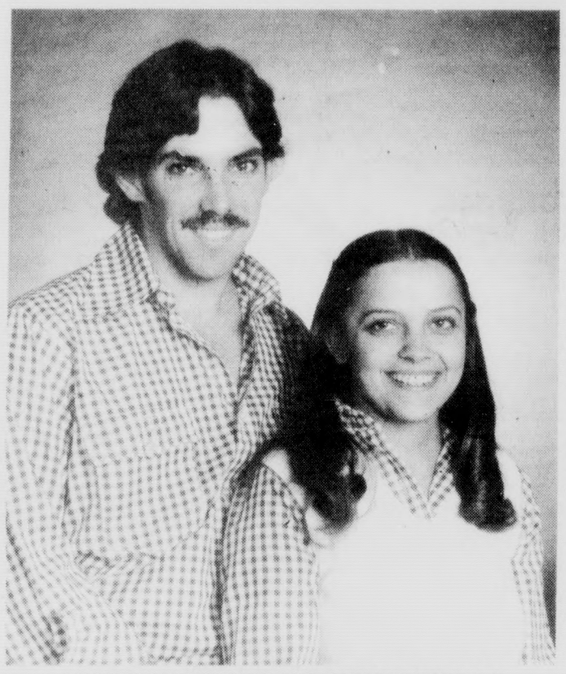
## *Sedilko - Gill*

Eileen Gill and Stanley Sedilko were married at St. Augustine's Church in Pleasanton Sept. 10 by Father Ron Tognoli.

Eileen is the daughter of Patrick and Jeanne Gill of Pleasanton. She graduated from Amador High School in 1973 and received her degree from Sacramento State University in Child Development in 1977. She is presently employed by The Farmhouse Nursery School in Sacramento.

Stanley, the son of Frank and Marguerite Sedilko of Sacramento, attended Encina High School, and graduated from California Polytechnic Institute in San Luis Obispo with a degree in architecture. He is presently employed as a junior designer draftsman with Frandson, Nolten and Associates in Sacramento.

The reception was held at Castlewood Country Club and the couple's honeymoon included San Diego and Disneyland. Their first home will be in Sacramento.



BRIAN HALE AND MELODIE WHEELER

## *Hale - Wheeler*

Melodie Wheeler and Brian Hale have announced their plans to marry March 18, 1978.

Melodie is the daughter of Jessie and William Wheeler. She is a 1975 graduate of Central High School in Oregon. Melodie is currently employed as a secretary for Leslie Jensen at Vintage Realty, Livermore.

Brian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hale of Pleasanton. Ha graduate of Amador High School and a 1975 graduate of Chabot College.

MR. AND MRS. MIKE FORNEY

ROANN WHITNEY AND DOUGLAS PAYNE

## *Payne - Whitney*

Roann Marie Whitney and Douglas Dwayne Payne have announced plans to marry Jan. 14, 1978.

Roann is the daughter of Cleone Barker and Alfred Whitney. She graduated from Livermore High School in 1977 and is employed as a waitress at El Vaquero Mexican Restaurant in Livermore.

Douglas is the son of Joyce Eskew. He is also a 1977 graduate of Livermore High School and is employed with Fullam Drywall in San Francisco.

Photographs have been supplied by Country Studio, Robert Thomas, Steve Rubiolo and Neil Graphics.

## *Chiarpotti - Mauro*

Lisa Anne Mauro and John Adolph Chiarpotti have announced their plans to marry Feb. 4, 1978 at St. Raymonds Church in Dublin.

Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Liberato Mauro. She is a 1976 Dublin High School graduate and is currently employed with Transamerica Title Co.

John is the son of Al Chiarpotti and Judy Kelsy. He too is a Dublin High School graduate. John is employed at Liberty House.

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# The thrill of live TV audience reaction

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — When you see a TV show or commercial, how would you rate it — "very dull," "dull," "normal," "good" or "very good," I had to make those critical choices recently.

I did it simply by twirling a dial marked with those reactions. It occurred in a big white building here that is the headquarters of Preview House, a major tester of live audience reaction.

The tests concern such things as TV shows and commercials. The results are pondered by network executives, producers and ad agencies.

Sometime the wares already have aired. Sometimes it's only a limited tryout to aid a decision costing millions. Either way, the testee gets a heady feeling of shaping the future oftelevision.

I got to help shape TV because a pal was standing in an unemployment line one day. She was offered free tickets to a gala night at Preview House. She accepted, invited me and off we went to get tested.

Along with 400 other testees, we got a Bayco No. 1 pencil, assorted questionnaires, a theater seat sporting a "very dull" to "very good" dial and two hours of, ah, entertainment.

We dialed our reactions to a TV comedy pilot starring Rita Moreno, an old Mel Brooks cartoon, "The Critic" and a film short. We also, at long last, got to twirl our reactions to TV commercials.

They were for a vitamin brand whose name I promptly forgot, Palmolive shave cream and soap, Handi-Wipe towels, Arrid deodorant, Flair pens and Fruit of the Loom underwear for men. Yes, indeed.

Before and during pauses in the entertainment, we filled in questionnaires. One asked my favorite brand among 11 soft drinks, nine shave creams and 13 vitamin brands. I said I smoke them all.

We were polled on whether we watch certain shows "regularly," "occasionally." "infrequently" or "never watch." I said I watch everything occasionally, but infrequently.

We also were asked if we peruse 13 types of shows ranging from "half hour comedies" to "bizarre or eerie dramas." We also revealed if we were in one of eight age groups, 15-19 to 60-65. I guess those younger than 15 or older than 65 were led away and given the choice of a flogging or writing for "Love Boat."

The wonderful world of underarms was a big test item. Our views were sought on no less than 14 brands of deodrant. However, I thought they got a mite personal when they dared ask:

"Have you used an underarm or anti-perspirant during the last seven days?"

But this paled alongside the next query:

"Do you consider yourself to be a (a) heavy perspirer; (b) medium perspirer; (c) light perspirer." We didn't have to write our names on the questionnaire, but I remained mum about my sweating habits.

# This thing isn't too funny

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "First Came Laugh-In! Then came Saturday Night Live! Now the wackiest comedy hour of all is here," burbles the network ad. The network is ABC.

Its ad urges us to watch such as Cheryl 'Charlie's Angels" Ladd and John "Three's Company" Ritter tonight on a one hour special called "That Thing on ABC."

Each star appears for less than a minute. Each does one joke by phone. You tell me an easier way to be a star and I'll do a fan dance at high noon in the Brown Derby.

"Thing" is a series of skits and Monty Python-like cartoon bits. Composed by five writers, it is not the wackiest comedy hour of all, although it does beat "Love Boat" for laughs.

It's mainly fueled by the efforts of nine young troupers relatively new to TV. Two of them, Shelley Long and Denny Evans, co-host things.

They start it with two introductions. In the second, Evans takes a pratfall off stage. It may make Chevy Chase cry,"Author! Author!"

Other skits are equally El Bombo, namely those concerning women's makeup, confidence-building, a Civil War romance, a chat with John Cameron Swayze, a tennis match and a silent comedy film.

However, a good moment escapes now and then. One is a report on a monster called Bigsquat, which has terrified a rural town by lumbering about and sitting on his victims.

Grouses a farmer: "Half my flock was flattened. They looked like big furry pancakes." Impossible, a scientist says, tests show it takes at least 400 pounds pressure per square inch "to squat an average mouse." But folks are terrified, the reporter notes, and "in Decatur County, Idaho, picnics are a thing of the past."

Trouper Marsha Warfield also does a good solo, raising questions we'd all like answered. Like: "Where does Ralph Nader shop?"

Another bit, funny in concept but flawed in execution, has a young lady, a classical violinist, suddenly possessed by the spirit of fellow fiddler Henny Youngman. She proves in need of an exorcism.

It's worth checking out, if only to hear the maestro say,"My wife went to the beauty parlor for two hours — and that was just for the estimate."

It almost works, but as with most everything in the show, the "Thing" troops push too hard and lack the split-second timing that makes the difference between a weak chuckle and a belly laugh.

You also get the feeling ABC hired Bigsquat to sit on routines the troops thought funnier than what actually wound up in the show.

Methinks they should be allowed to try another "Thing," this time with less restraint, tighter editing and absolutely no phone-ins by ABC's minor deities.

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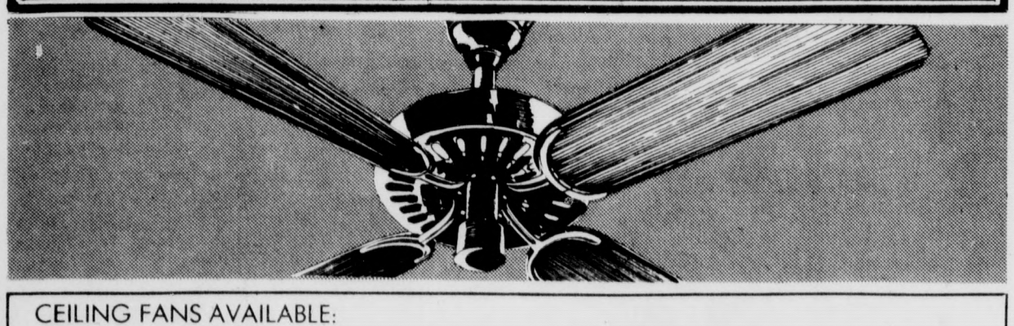

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6:00 3 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING
5 10 SUNRISE SEMESTER
11 REPORT TO CONSUMERS
6:20 7 FOODS FOR THE MODERN FAMILY
6:30 4 SCHOOL OF THE AIR
5 THE AMERICAN PEOPLE
10 CAPTAIN KANGAROO
11 EN LA COMUNIDAD
13 LET'S SPEAK SPANISH
40 NOT FOR WOMEN ONLY
7:00 2 ARCHIES
3 4 TODAY
5 CBS NEWS
7 11 13 GOOD MORNING AMERICA
36 700 CLUB
40 FLINTSTONES
7:30 2 40 CARTOONS
10 7:30 A.M.
20 STOCK MARKET TODAY
8:00 2 BULLWINKLE
5 CAPTAIN KANGAROO
9 LILIAS, YOGA AND YOU
10 CBS NEWS
20 STOCK UPDATE
40 ARCHIES
8:30 2 ROMPER ROOM
9 MISTER ROGERS
20 STOCK AND BOND REPORT
36 PUBLIC AFFAIRS
40 FLIPPER
9:00 2 I LOVE LUCY
3 LIARS CLUB
4 SANFORD AND SON
5 MORNING SHOW
7 AM SAN FRANCISCO
9 SESAME STREET
10 DINAH Guests: John Byner, Tom Bosley, David Horowitz, Bill Withers. (90 min.)
11 IRONSIDE
13 MORNING SCENE
20 CORPORATE REPORT
36 YOGA FOR HEALTH
40 FLINTSTONES
9:30 2 THAT GIRL
3 4 HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
20 REAL ESTATE REPORT
36 BODY BUDDIES
40 I LOVE LUCY
10:00 2 40 BIG VALLEY
3 4 WHEEL OF FORTUNE
5 TATTLETALES
7 11 13 HAPPY DAYS
20 HEARTBEAT
36 MIKE DOUGLAS Guests: Dick Van Patten, Paul Michael Glaser, Garry Marshall. (90 min.)
10:30 3 4 KNOCKOUT
5 10 LOVE OF LIFE
7 11 13 $20,000 PYRAMID
20 VILLA ALEGRE
44 DUSTY'S TREEHOUSE
10:55 5 10 CBS NEWS
11:00 2 PHIL DONAHUE SHOW
3 4 TO SAY THE LEAST
5 10 YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
7 11 13 THE BETTER SEX
40 COURTSHIP OF EDDIE'S FATHER
44 NOT FOR WOMEN ONLY
11:30 3 4 GONG SHOW
5 10 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW
7 11 13 FAMILY FEUD
36 MOVIE **½ "Unholy Wife" 1957 Diana Dors, Rod Steiger. Murder, double crosses, revenge, when a vineyard owner marries a girl with a shady past. (115 min.)
40 LOVE AMERICAN STYLE
44 NEWSTALK

**AFTERNOON**

12:00 2 MEDICAL CENTER
3 4 5 10 NEWS
7 11 13 ALL MY CHILDREN
9 DICK CAVETT SHOW Guest: Lee Strasberg, artistic director of method acting.
20 700 CLUB
40 DICK VAN DYKE SHOW
44 UNDERDOG
12:30 3 PHIL DONAHUE SHOW
4 DAYS OF OUR LIVES
5 10 AS THE WORLD TURNS
9 OVER EASY Guest: Peter Hamill, author-columnist.
40 ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW
44 TENNESSEE TUXEDO
1:00 2 MOVIE **½ "Prince Valiant" 1954 James Mason, Janet Leigh. The golden age of Viking adventures comes alive. (2 hrs.)
7 11 RYAN'S HOPE
13 CROSS WITS
40 MOVIE **½ "A Lion Is In The Streets" 1953 James Cagney, Barbara Hale. In the south, a peddler starts on a whirlwind rise politically, using hysteria as his devise. (2 hrs.)
44 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES
60 UN DEMONIO CON ANGEL
1:25 36 NEWS
1:30 3 DIVORCE COURT
4 DOCTORS
5 10 GUIDING LIGHT
7 11 13 ONE LIFE TO LIVE
20 CHARISMA
36 MOVIE *** "D.O.A." 1949 Edmond O'Brien, Pamela Britton. Thriller about a man, slowly dying from poison, out to find his killer. (85 min.)
44 GOMER PYLE
2:00 3 4 ANOTHER WORLD
9 PORTRAIT OF JAMIE Artist Jamie Wyeth comes from a famous family of American artists but this study profiles his own unique works and lifestyle. The painter famed for his portraits of animals and U.S. Presidents tells the stories behind his works.
20 VILLA ALEGRE
44 HUCK AND YOGI
60 TODO UN HOMBRE
2:15 7 11 13 GENERAL HOSPITAL
2:30 5 10 ALL IN THE FAMILY
9 CROCKETT'S VICTORY GARDEN "House Plants" Jim Crockett shows how to care for some seasonal house plants, including Kalanchoe, Poinsettia, Gloxinia, Chrysanthemum and Cyclamen.
20 WITHIT
3:00 2 HECKLE, JECKLE AND MIGHTY
3 DAYS OF OUR LIVES
4 DINAH Guests: John Byner, Tom Bosley, David Horowitz, Bill Withers. (60 min.)
5 MATCH GAME
7 13 EDGE OF NIGHT
9 MACNEIL LEHRER REPORT
10 TATTLETALES
11 LITTLE RASCALS
20 CINE MEXICANO DEL RECUERDO
36 DANIEL BOONE
40 CARTOONS
44 BUGS BUNNY AND POPEYE
60 EL SHOW DE LA TARDE
3:30 2 MICKEY MOUSE CLUB
5 NEWLYWED GAME
7 MOVIE ** "Roll, Freddy, Roll" 1974 Tim Conway, Jan Murray. A conservative computer programmer lives on rollar skates for seven days to win a place in the Guinness Book of World Records. (90 min.)
9 VILLA ALEGRE
10 MATCH GAME
11 I DREAM OF JEANNIE
13 RYAN'S HOPE
40 BUGS BUNNY AND POPEYE
4:00 2 TOM AND JERRY
3 ROOKIES
4 MERV GRIFFIN Guests: Eva Gabor, Steve Garvey, Larry Gatlin, Dave Landsberg. (90 min.)
5 MIKE DOUGLAS Co-host: Anthony Newley. (90 min.)
9 SESAME STREET
10 MIKE DOUGLAS
11 ADAM 12
13 MY THREE SONS
36 MAYBERRY R.F.D.
40 GILLIGAN'S ISLAND
44 FLINTSTONES
60 MANANA SERA OTRO DIA
4:30 11 40 PARTRIDGE FAMILY
13 FAMILY AFFAIR
36 F TROOP
60 LA VENGANZA
5:00 2 CAPTAIN COSMIC AND HIS WONDER ROBOT
3 7 11 NEWS
9 MISTER ROGERS
13 MARY TYLER MOORE
20 NOTI 20
36 MY FAVORITE MARTIAN
40 44 BRADY BUNCH
5:30 2 MY THREE SONS
4 MARY TYLER MOORE
5 CAROL BURNETT AND FRIENDS
9 ELECTRIC COMPANY
10 13 NEWS
11 ABC NEWS
36 GET SMART
40 HOGAN'S HEROES
60 NOTICIERO

**EVENING**

6:00 2 ROOKIES
3 NBC NEWS
4 5 7 NEWS
9 ZOOM
10 CBS NEWS
11 MOVIE *** "Rope Of Sand" 1949 Burt Lancaster, Corinne Calvert. A former hunting guide returns to South Africa to get revenge on a brutal police commandant and to recover a hidden cache of diamonds. (2 hrs.)
13 ABC NEWS
20 YO COMPRO ESA MUJER
36 MOVIE *** "Aragesque" 1966 Gregory Peck, Sophia Loren. An American exchange professor, in England, kidnapped by a Middle East prime minister, is aided in his escape by an oil magnate. (2 hrs.)
40 44 EMERGENCY ONE
60 SUPER MUSICAL
6:30 3 10 NEWS
5 CBS NEWS
9 OVER EASY Guest: John Raitt, singer-performer.
13 MERV GRIFFIN Guest host: Mel Tillis.
60 CORAZON SALVAJE
7:00 2 ODD COUPLE
3 WEEKNIGHT
4 NBC NEWS
5 NEWS
7 ABC NEWS
9 MACNEIL LEHRER REPORT
10 CONCENTRATION
20 PECADO MORTAL
40 MOVIE **½ "Marnie" 1964 Tippi Hedren, Sean Connery. A woman's complex life leads her into becoming a compulsive thief, while her husband tries to save her from jail and salvage their marriage. (3 hrs.)
44 JOKER'S WILD
60 24 HORAS
7:30 2 ODD COUPLE
3 IN SEARCH OF... "The Man Who Wouldn't Die"
4 $25,000 PYRAMID
5 EVENING MAGAZINE
7 GONG SHOW
9 A CLOSER LOOK
10 NAME THAT TUNE
44 ADAM 12
8:00 2 NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC "Hidden World" (60 min.)
3 4 LIFE AND TIMES OF GRIZZLY ADAMS Two well-meaning but inept silver prospectors threaten the wilderness and its inhabitants by polluting the streams with mining chemicals. (60 min.)
5 10 GOOD TIMES It's no more Mr. Nice Guy when J.J. decides to teach Michael what he believes is a badly needed lesson in responsibility.
7 11 13 THAT THING ON ABC A special featuring a resident company of comedians recruited from across the U.S. Guests: Cheryl Ladd, John Ritte, Bill Bixby, and Henny Youngman.
9 NOVA "In The Event Of Catastrophe" examines whether we can survive a nuclear war. As America's civil defense program is compared to that of the Soviet Union, the case is made for and against civil defense.
20 SENORITA ELENA
36 MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN
44 MOVIE ** "John Goldfarb, Please Come Home" 1965 Shirley MacLaine, Peter Ustinov. A pilot dubbed "wrongway" and a magazine photographer-writer dubbed "iceberg" get together when she's smuggled into a harem where he is forced to coach a native football team to defeat Notre Dame. (2 hrs.)
60 LA USURPADORA
8:30 5 10 SZYSZNYK Fortwengler's in love, and Nick's advice backfires and the couple elopes.
36 MERV GRIFFIN Guests: Kenny Rogers, Kiki Dee, B.B. King, Guy Marks. (90 min.)
9:00 2 WORLD AT WAR "The Bomb" (60 min.)
3 4 THE BLACK SHEEP SQUADRON To aid him in his hunt for an enemy radar ship, Pappy is sent help in the form of a squadron of inexperienced fliers by a brash young commander. (60 min.)
5 10 CBS WEDNESDAY NIGHT MOVIE "The Great Scout And Cathouse Thursday" Stars: Lee Marvin, Oliver Reed, Robert Culp. A leathery Indian fighter-scout finds himself something of an anachronism in a world that includes automobiles and street lights. (2 hrs.)
7 11 13 CHARLIE'S ANGELS Sabrina, Kelly and Kris elbow their way into professional tennis to find out who is "eliminating" top female players prior to matches with an aging champ. (60 min.)
9 DANCE IN AMERICA "Paul Taylor Dance Company" Paul Taylor's famed dance company performs two of his recent compositions: "Esplanade," set to the music of Bach; and the primeval-sounding "Runes."
20 EN LA TRAMPA
60 LUCHA LIBRE
10:00 2 40 NEWS
3 4 POLICE WOMAN Tab Hunter guest stars as an accountant who uncovers some suspicious bookkeeping by a recently deceased fellow employee and becomes the target of gangsters who are determined that the truth shall remain hidden. (60 min.)
9 BEHOLD, A MAN! Intensive documentary look at Stanford's sex change clinic. (60 min.)
11 13 BARETTA Baretta's senior citizen friends, Sam and Leo, hide the world's most valuable race horse in their apartment after stealing the steed from a horse thief. (60 min.)
20 CHAMPIONSHIP KICK BOXING
36 MOVIE ** "The Cimarron Kid" 1952 Audie Murphy, Beverly Tyler. Cimarron Kid, after leading gang of bank robbers, surrenders to Marshal who promises that the Kid will get a fair break. (90 min.)
44 NIGHT GALLERY
60 MUNDOS OPUESTOS
10:30 9 JAMES M. CURLEY He Did It For a Friend
60 NOTICIERO
11:00 2 LIARS CLUB Guests: Larry Hovis, Dody Goodman, Buddy Hackett, Pat Carroll.
3 4 5 7 10 11 13 NEWS
9 DICK CAVETT SHOW Part I of an interview with Paul Weiss, philosopher and professor.
20 TO BE ANNOUNCED
40 HOLLYWOOD CONNECTION
44 HOGAN'S HEROS
11:30 2 HOLLYWOOD CONNECTION Guests: Dick Smothers, Tommy La Sorda, Jan Murray, Barbara Rhodes.
3 4 THE TONIGHT SHOW Host: Johnny Carson. (90 min.)
5 10 CBS LATE MOVIE "Hawaii Five-O" Richard Basehart guest stars as the mastermind behind a plot to rob the Honolulu Stock Exchange. (R; 60 min.) "Kojak: The Corrupter" Stars: Telly Savalas, Kevin Dobson. (R; 60 min.)
7 11 POLICE STORY–MYSTERY OF THE WEEK Police Story–"Collision Course" The question of whether or not policewomen should be assigned to ride in patrol cars is brought to a head in a gun battle with two killers. (R) Mystery of the Week
13 IRONSIDE
36 MOVIE **½ "Ann Of The Indies" 1951 Debra Paget, Jean Peters. Lady pirate loses her ship to her former pirate mentor when she tries to aid a French ex-naval officer. (90 min.)
40 MOVIE **½ "Sheriff Of Fractured Jaw" 1959 Kenneth More, Jayne Mansfield. Satire of a tenderfoot from England who is mistaken for a ruthless gunslinger. (2 hrs., 15 min.)
44 MAVERICK
12:00 2 NEWS
12:30 5 MYSTERY MOVIE OF THE WEEK "Space Walk Murders"
13 POLICE STORY
1:00 3 4 TOMORROW Host: Tom Snyder. Guest: Graham Kerr. (60 min.)
10 NEWS
36 MOVIE **½ "Unfaithful Wife" 1968 Stephane Audran, Michel Bouget. (2 hrs.)
1:30 5 MOVIE **½ "The Big Steal" 1949 Robert Mitchum, Jane Greer. (90 min.)
1:40 13 NEWS
1:45 40 MOVIE **½ "Term Of Trial" 1963 Laurence Olivier, Simone Signoret. (2 hrs., 15 min.)
2:00 7 NEWS
11 MOVIE ** "The Doolins Of Oklahoma" 1949 Randolph Scott, George Macready. (105 min.)
3:00 5 MOVIE *** "Crack Up" 1946 Pat O'Brien, Claire Trevor. (105 min.)
36 MOVIE *** "The Appaloosa" 1967 Marlon Brando, John Saxon. (2 hrs.)
3:45 11 MOVIE *** "Gilda" 1946 Rita Hayworth, Glenn Ford. (2 hrs.)
4:00 40 MOVIE ** "Fury On The Bosphorus" 1965 Ken Clark, Margaret Lee.

**"That Thing on ABC," to air at 8 p.m. Wednesday on Channels 7, 11, and 13, is billed as an hour "of fun and laughter. Here cast members rehearse a comedy sketch about a combination Mideast documentary, beauty pageant and game show.**

## This Week on TV You'll See

**A PROGRAM THAT** explores poetry through recitations, dramatizatons and discussions will be broadcast on "The CBS Festival of Lively Arts for Young People," at 3:30 p.m. Monday on Channels 5 and 10.

**FRANKLYN AJAYE,** George Carlin, Prof. Irwin Corey and Richard Pryor portray zany characters in the movie "Car Wash," at 9 p.m. Monday on Channels 3 and 4.

**WORLD WAR I,** a 26-part documentary account of the years 1914-1918, returns to Channel 9 beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday. The series, produced by CBS News, is based entirely on authentic film footage. Station officials say the epidoses, "although faithful to the chronological sequence of the war's events, are each complete shows in themselves." The series was aired last year on Channel 9.

## Education

# Amador sets adult classes

Amador Adult Education will offer a class in stock market analysis starting this week.

Purpose of the class is to teach the investor/student the use of practical indicators for evaluation in day-to-day stock and bond markets.

The class will meet on Thursdays from 7 to 10 p.m. at Amador Valley High in Pleasanton.

Among the subjects to be discussed by instructor Joe D. Turner are common investor mistakes, establishing a common sense investment plan, creating confidence in making investment decisions, and obtaining better investment results.

Among the host of other classes starting this week are the following; Conversational Spanish, Wednesdays starting Jan. 4 from 7 to 9:30 in Room B-14 at Amador Valley High.

Claudine Balaban will instruct this beginning course and students may register at the first meeting.

A native of Argentina, Ms. Balaban has previously taught for eight years in the Amador Adult Education program. She is returning from another teaching assignment.

For those who prefer daytime classes, a second conversational Spanish class will be held Tuesdays from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at Pleasanton Grens.

Two other classes beginning Thursday are scheduled for Pleasanton Greens.

One, confident communication, will instruct the class member in how to express one's self more effectively in business, job and personal situations. This course will be held from 1 to 3:30 p.m.

Gale Sheehy's book "Passages" will be the subject of another class at Pleasanton Greens.

Learn how your life has been similar to and different from the "typical" pattern. If you thought you were the only person having 'ups and downs", join this class to discover that you are not alone.

Learning to protect rights without violating the rights of others will be the major theme in a special course, self management and assertion, to be offered by Amador Adult Education on Thursday evenings from 7 to 10 p.m. from Jan. 26 through March 2 at Amador Valley High.

"Most of us have a right to feel better than we do," claims Dorris Fagan, course instructor. "We've been advised, admonished, 'psychologized,' and squeezed through a maze of institutions, double messages and media distortions that obscures our basic goodness and reason even from ourselves.

"A major reason for the sale of books and courses on how to live better is that people are looking for a workable way to feel some control and connection in a world that seems full of chaos and constantly shifting values, ideas and information. Assertiveness training started being one of those popular courses about three years ago, after the publication of some popularized books on the subject became available."

"It's not really new, though," Ms. Fagan claims.

The course is designed to assist people in figuring out what they want, making choices and assertively making their lives better.

Siegfried Wroebel will instruct upholstery classes at Camp Parks during the day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Wroebel has owned and operated his own interior decorating and upholstery shop in Alameda for 15 years.

He has also been an upholstery instructor at Merritt College, set up special training classes for the U.S. Navy at Treasure Island, and instructed in the apprenctice program at College of Alameda.

Tuition fee for the quarter at Amador Adult Education is $4. This fee entitles students to enroll in as many classes as they wish. No fee is charged, however, for senior citizens (over 60), students enrolled in a high school diploma program, or students in citizenship or English for the foreign born.

For addtional information on classes starting this week, contact the adult education offices in the trailer in the Amador Valley High parking lot or call 462-0022 days and evenings.

# Chabot's Smithsonian exhibit

"Our Only World," carrying out a theme that the earth is a spaceship, will be depicted via color photographs at an exhibit opening Jan. 6 at Chabot College and presented by the Smithsonian Institution.

The exhibit will be set up in the Chabot College Hayward library and remain on view through Feb. 5.

The 113 full-color photographs were selected from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Project Documerica, a special program designed to portray, through photography, the nature and scope of America's environmental crisis and the efforts being made to cope with it. The exhibition presents some of the environmental problems we face each day: the need for clean air, clean water, solid waste management, insecticide and radiation control, and noise abatement. The exhibit shows the effects of our technology and the efforts now being made — both by individuals and by organizations — to slow down and perhaps reverse the damage we have done to our world.

The work of 47 of the country's finest photographers is represented in exhibition. Their photogtaphs were selected from among 10,000 photographs are breathtaking in their beauty; other are said indictments of the way we mistreat our environment. Viewed together, they present a document of out American lanscape.

"Our Only World" can be seen free of charge in the Chabot library from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Fridays and on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Chabot College, in conjunction with Pacific Gas and Electric Company, is offering a class in winterization and insulation. The class begins on Saturday, Jan. 7 at 9 a.m. in Room 1906 of the Chabot Hayward Campus.

The class will consist of four 3-hour sessions. The sessions will provide information and actual demonstrations on practical ways of winterizing your home. Types of insulation materials and methods of installation for walls, ceilings and floors will be demonstrated. Weather-stripping for windows and doors will also be examined.

Registration may be accomplished by going to Room 1906 on the first day of class, Saturday, Jan. 7, at 9 a.m. The college is located at 25555 Hesperian Blvd. There is no charge for registration.

# Consumer bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — A proposed office of consumer representation is one of several major consumer measures still pending in Congress.

Bills to establish consumer cooperative banks and give citizens broader standing to sue the government are other measures that failed to pass in 1977.

But other consumer proposals are now law, including tougher restrictions on debt collectors, higher minimum wages and greater choices in shopping for mortgage loans.

# Decision due on new chief

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spend any time in the Los Angeles County district during normal weekday working hours between now and the February date.

A press release from the local districts had indicated trustees will make no attempt to block or delay Newlin's resignation.

The joint executive session next Tuesday may also consider the question of appointing an interim superintendent and setting-up of the machinery to seek out a new supertintendent.

The three superintendents in the Amador and Pleasanton central administration are Carl Krause, assistant for personnel; Neil Sweeney, assistant for instruction, and Doug Rose, assistant for fiscal services.

When Rudy Gatti resigned the superintendent's position with the local districts 3½ years ago, the two boards named the late Tom Hart as acting superintendent until the search committee decided to recommend Newlin, then superintendent of the Lancaster district.

Many districts in recent years have hired a consultant to secure applications. A committee, appointed by the board(s), then screens the applicants and interviews six, eight or ten before the penultimate recommendation.

The Norwalk-LaMirada district has a student enrollment of approximately 25,000 in grades K-12. The local districts have less than half that number and, like Norwalk-LaMirada, are in a declining enrollment situation.

Newlin is presently making $39,000 with the Amador and Pleasanton districts.

He has been given a three-year contract starting at $44,000 with Norwalk-LaMirada.

Pleasanton trustees are scheduled to meet next Wednesday might.

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# Brown gets tweaked

SACRAMENTO (AP) — In a rare show of defiance, the Assembly started the 1978 session Tuesday by overriding two of Gov. Edmund Brown Jr.'s vetoes — one more than its total for the last three years.

However, the Senate then voted to sustain one of the vetoes, of a bill that would establish on paper, but not finance, a new museum. The author of the second bill, to add two new judges, said he expected to negotiate with Brown rather than seek a Senate vote.

Since Brown took office in 1975, only his veto of a new death penalty law has been overturned in both houses. That was only the second override of a California governor's veto since 1946. Several other Brown vetoes have been overridden in the Senate but sustained in the Assembly.

The Democratic governor may have avoided a third Assembly override Tuesday with negotiations toward a compromise on a bill for state funding of a $20 million raise for low-paid workers at nursing homes.

The author of that bill, Assemblyman Lou Papan, D-Daly City, said Brown had agreed to provide the 40-cent-an-hour raise in the bill, AB 1427, and the only disagreement involves the timing of the payment.

The judges bill, AB 1807 by Assemblyman Bill McVittie, D-Upland, would add a second Municipal Court judge in Victorville, San Bernardino County, and a fifth in Sonoma County. The veto was overridden on a 54-23 vote, the exact two-thirds majority needed.

The other bill is AB 745 by Assemblyman Mike Cullen, DLong Beach. It was sent to the Senate on a 54-19 vote. The Senate vote was 15 to override the veto and 22 to sustain it.

The measure would set up a California Museum of American History in the office of Secretary of State March Fong Eu, who sponsored the bill.

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# The Times
## Editorial and Feature Page

*John B. Edmands, Editor and Publisher*


# Good neighbor

The death of one elderly woman in a Pleasanton housing project raises a question that is fundamental to each of us, and to our understanding of the community:

"How good a neighbor am I?"

We find little real value in next - day fault - finding over an "alarm system" that did or did not work, or that "might have saved that woman's life" had it been functioning properly.

It is not by electronic switches that the life of the older person is made safe, pleasant, even enjoyable. It is rather the thought that some one else cares which is the well of strength from which we all draw reassurance.

That one woman, or any other person, could lie dead or near death for five days in the midst of one of our urban centers is a commentary on ourselves which must not be overlooked.

How long might my neighbor be in need before I would bother to inquire? Of what importance to me is my neighbor's house?

There is no alarm system big enough, sensitive enough to protect us all save one: The knowledge that others outside my own home care for me and mine. If that safety valve is not working, then we must all begin to ask — "Just what kind of neighbor am I?"

# . . . and catastrophe

"Oh, I'd be ready for the REALLY BIG emergency, if it ever comes of course."

Of course. But that boast might look mighty shallow against our knowledge of how to respond, our inventory of first aid emergency supplies on hand, our understanding of where to go, of what not to do, when disaster strikes.

Tonight, on Channel 9 from 8 until 9 p.m., the Public Broadcasting System will present a program entitled "In The Event of Catastrophe."

It won't likely be all that entertaining. It could even shock you ... enough to test your own preparedness "when the really big emergency comes."

## *Ron McNicoll*

# Peoples' choice

At long last! A true people's candidate for governor!

His name is Dan Rafferty, he's 33, and he plans to move into the governor's mansion whether he is elected or not.

So far he has done all of the right things for a candidate for governor. He has denied having a relationship with singer Linda Ronstadt. He demonstrated his popularity by winning 56 per cent of the write-in vote for mayor in San Francisco in 1975. Something like 13 votes, according to a positive story in the Berkeley Barb. And he announced his candidacy earlier this year at the annual Hookers' Ball in San Francisco. If the Hookers' Ball could launch the successful new career of Richard Hongisto as Cleveland police chief, think what it will do for candidate Rafferty.

Rafferty shows great moderation. Just listen to his comments on drinking: "I try to wait till the afternoon to drink. I don't drink in the morning. Unless, of course, I've been up all night." If he has that much energy, he obviously can fulfill the demanding requirements of running the state day in and day out.

He has a great new taxation plan, too, though it's one where I question his sensibilities about civil rights. He wants to put a tax on fat people. While I think that's unconstitutional, his arguments have a certain logic. He claims it would encourage exercise and discourage overeating. That not only would result in a healthier body politic, but save a lot of food for starving folks who need it. Anyone who could show drastic weight loss would receive rebates from previous tax years, said Rafferty

The candidate also would stop the rocketing divorce rate by outlawing irreconcilable marriages and closing 30 per cent of all law schools. He shows great moderation in confining it to only 30 per cent of the law schools.

Rafferty would be the first governor with a warranty. The gubernatorial warranty would state that Rafferty would have to leave office after four years or $5 million, whatever comes first.

Candidate Rafferty took shots at his prospective opponents, claiming that Governor Brown is "an excellent example of lowered expectations." Law and order Police Chief Ed Davis of Los Angeles would demonstrate the following thinking to carry out the affirmative action goals of the Califonrinia Highway Department: put Idi Amin in charge.

The capper that swings me to his camp, though, is his proposal to put a dolphin in his administration. Dolphins talk, so they at least should have some input into our democracy. Why, I understand that a dozen or so dolphins are attending real estate school so they can sell underwater lots to unsuspecting folks.

Anyway, Rafferty seems like quite the ticket. I even like the places he has campaigned — the Comedy Store in Los Angeles and Keystone Korner in San Francisco. Usually one hears jazz at Keystone Korner, but Rafferty did six nights there as a standup comedian with the Red Garland trio. Rafferty did not play jazz and in reciprocation Red Garland did not announce for governor. Which may be unfortunate because the best presidential candidate we ever had was a jazz musician — Dizzy Gillespie.

Every four years, I still see bumper stickers proclaiming "Dizzy Gillespie for President". Having caught Diz's act earlier this year at the Great American Music Hall, I see why Diz would be our best president. His surreal sense of humor has so much warmth behind it. Gene McCarthy's humanism is just a pale imitation.

Maybe if comic Rafferty can be elected governor, jazz great Diz could be Prez. Although, as Lester Young fans know, in jazz there will always be only one Prez.

**— by Ron McNicoll**

# Letters to the Times

### *Common goals*

Editor, The Times:

Congratulations on your editorial "We have here in our town the opportunity to live together civilized people of all ages and many pursuits, all Americans, all sharing common goals."

The month of December, followed by January, are times when we celebrate many events. The mails are heavy with holiday greeting cards. How I wish I could write a holiday greeting card with your message on it. I would surely send it to every high school student in our state of California hoping they would hear your plea to help children and adults. Then your last sentence would come true "If we are unable to meet even these tests, then what chance is there for our tomorrow."

Our young people are dedicated, our mature persons are dedicated, if we function together, as outlined in your editorial, it will have a tremendous effect and impact on our Pleasanton and Livermore Valley.

Maxine M. Plastino
"Zucchini Lady"
Livermore

### *Elective mayor*

Editor, The Times:

Greeting from the less wise. You won't receive any arguement from me regarding your editorial (12/28/77) that the people of Livermore are signing the elective mayor petition for political many are very emotional when they reach for my ink pin and say, "well it's about time this town had an elected mayor" ...

... even I have personally gained a matured perspective and street-wise education in walking and talking to no lss than 9,000 registered voters in Livermore regarding our having an elected mayor. This 2-year communication process has been richly gratifying. Gratifying not just because 90 percent of those I talk to sign the petition, but because of the conviction these people have when signing...

The community is stired by reason, gained through years of observation and awareness that their existing political system has broken down. We don't even get the opportunity to present prepared political rational in our door-to-door canvass. Hell, they know the truth of their situation. They're aware ! You don't have to be a student of political science to be aware! ... Faith, brother! Faith in yourself, in your parents' values, in your heritage, in your religion, in the democratic process, in the rightness of having our leaders that presume to run our communities and act as our mayors, that they first gain our approval by a majority of votes, these are the reasons people sign. These people have thought it over. These people have reasoned through the issue and have faith in themselves and the democratic process and therein is the very rational you caution for in your editorial, and therein is why 90 percent of those asked, sign the petition to have an elected mayor in the city of Livermore.

Now surely, you have the editorial courage ... to run this response to your editorial with prime exposure in the forthcoming Sunday issue. Faith Brother!

Rich Buckley
Member, Committee to elect the mayor

### *School Supt.*

Editor, The Times:

The resignation of Superintendent Bruce Newlin from the Pleasanton and Amador School Districts should provide an excellent opportunity for the trustees of those districts to take a hard look at the criteria for choosing the new superintendent.

First it should be understood that the person who becomes superintendent will remain in that position for the full term of the contract. This would help to lessen fears that the position of Superintendent in Pleasanton is merely a stepping stone to another more lucrative position.

Secondly the superintendent should have been a successful teacher for a number of years prior to becoming an administrator. This is essential if the superintendent is to deal creatively with teachers who are, in the final analysis, the backbone of our educational system.

Thirdly the superintendent should have a solid business background to deal with the complex financial aspects of education.

Finally the superintendent should be a parent too, so that he or she may be more sensitive to the needs of the children who are served by our educational system.

In closing let me encourage the people who live in these two districts to make their wishes known to the trustees by letter, phone, or in person. The Amador District Trustees have a public meeting on January 10, and the Pleasanton District Trustees meet on January 11.

Michael Bupttner
Amador Valley High School

### *Consumer fraud*

Editor, The Times:

In your article of December 18 on the question of whether or not Alameda County should establish a new consumer affairs department, Irene Vincent was quoted on several points which I believe deserve comment.

Mrs. Vincent, a member of the county Consumer Affair Commission, said that the District Attorney's Consumer Fraud Division had complaints about a Fremont furniture store, but "held back prosecuting until Vincent threatened to get a group together to picket the store." The case to which Mrs. Vincent refers was filed by this Office on April 26, 1977 after a thorough investigation. As soon as the investigation was completed, the suit was filed. Our staf was able to locate and interview many victims through the cooperation of the Better Business Bureau, the Fremont Police Department and the Bureau of Home Furnishings in Sacramento. The resulting injunction, rather than assisting only one or two victims, has served to protect all Alameda County consumers. Incidentally, our file indicates that only one of the persons we interviewed was referred to us by Mrs. Vincent.

Our decisions on whether or not to file an action are based on the merits of the case and on the law. In no case is any decision made because a group of individuals threaten to picket a business.

Mrs. Vincent also expressed a desire that the county create a separate consumer affairs department "more militant" than the current Consumer Affairs Commission. I am not sure what she means by "militant," but the term smacks of distrust and hostility. This Office firmly believes that persons and companies doing business within Alameda County should comply with the law. We also believ that enforcement of, and compliance with, the law can be accomplished with an attitude of honesty and fairness by all concerned. Alameda County does not need government which is militant or hostile.

Charles E. Herbert
Assistant District Attorney
Consumer Fraud Division

### *Pipeline petition*

Editor, The Times:

The screaming headlines of Tri-Valley newspapers this past week betray the growing panic within the establishment as the success of the CARD Committee's initiative campaign becomes apparent. Revised estimates of pipeline costs and threats of disaster to frighten prospective initiative signers have served only to alert voters to th seriousness of the LAVWMA Agency's scheming to avoid submitting the bond issue to a vote. The least one can say about the initiative to date is that it has already saved millions of tax dollars in pipeline estimates ...

As one might guess, about half of those one solicits on the street are not registered for many reasons and roughly one in twenty says he favors the pipeline ... Some who refuse to sign admit that they favor the CARD action but will not sign because they or their spouses are employed by the city or other agency and are fearful of losing their jobs. ...

Most who refuse to sign are men of middle age who appear embarrassed when asked why they want the pipeline and have no good reason to offer. Some have vague notions about how much work it will make for them or their companies. One man shouted at me "You just can't stop progress." He didn't seem to know what he meant by progress.

The conclusion of any researcher would almost certainly have to be that in spite of its protestations to the contrary, the LAVWMA Agency "just hasn't sold" its pipeline to the public, depending heavily on the local newspapers with half truth, near truth and downright falsehood to stampede an uninformed if not a largely misinformed public, not necessarily to support the pipeline but not to actively oppose it. Valley voters have well established opinions about thp reliability of the news media and a healthy skepticism about those who represent us in government. To the average valley voter, the pipeline looks very much like a private project to be paid for with public funds, planned and forced upon unsuspecting taxpayers by persons who would rather remain unknown. Join CARD in a worthy cause.

John B. Fraga
Pleasanton

# round the town

The trouble with most Americans is they simply do not understand the subtle nuances of a successful foreign policy.

That is why Subtle Nuance, President Carter's Chief of Foreign Protocol, stopped by this week.

"The president is most anxious to convey to you members of the press, and then to the American people, the importance of each step in his foreign policy program," Mr. Nuance advised me.

Including the President's disastrous visit to six or seven foreign capitals?

"Now that's exactly what I mean," Nuance replied, a trifle upset. "Americans read slanted comments like that in their newspapers and right away they assume the President's current tour is a disaster. A successful foreign policy is not always what it appears to be, from one person's interpretation."

Does that mean we do not have erotic desires for the Polish people?

"The interpreter who made that unfortunate presentation of the President's remarks to the Polish people has been replaced," Subtle Nuance assured me. "I would hope you press people would forget about that one regrettable slip and start reporting the real fact of what President Carter is saying, in other sensitive capitals of the world."

Like his candid remarks at that dinner table in New Delhi ... when Carter told Vance that the Indian prime minister was "pretty damn adamant about the nuclear fuel thing" and that our secretary of state should therefore send a "cold and very blunt" letter to the Indian P.M. giving him the facts of nuclear life?

"That was an unfortunate broadcast of a private talk the president was having with Mr. Vance," Nuance reminded me. "How were they to know the microphones at their dinner table were, 'live' and picking up every word? Besides, what the President tells his secretary of state at dinner is not necessarily what the world should believe."

I guess some of us will never understand the nuances of American foreign policy, I advised Subtle Nuance. Perhaps we'd be better off playing dumb, like those 50,000 Indians who turned out to greet President Carter in New Delhi, but didn't understand a word he said, or even know who he was.

"There you go again," the Chief of Foreign Protocol rebuffed me. "You take the reaction of a casual gathering of 50,000 Indians (most of whom were stupid, taxpaying peasants) as indicative of how all foreign peoples might understand our President. Mr. Carter can't shape the foreign policy of a great nation like ours into language that can be understood by just anyone."

Yes, I agreed with Mr. Nuance, and that's a problem most of us Americans have too.

"You must remember," the President's chief of foreign protocol reminded me, "that a world leader might say one thing in one capital, and something else in another capital. This is what is known as 'The language of diplomacy.' "

Just like the Arab - Israeli thing, I said, finally grasping what Subtle Nuance had been trying to tell me. President Carter tells Prime Minister Begin he favors the Israeli plan for peace, but now he's headed for Cairo to assure President Sadat that America also favors Egypt's program for the same peace. Is that it?

"Well, you are getting close," Nuance assured me, a little more pleasantly. "And none of this is made any easier by the fact that no American president can ever talk the language of those foreign leaders, while they must try to grasp our language so that we might all understand each other.

"You see," Nuance continued, "an important plank in American foreign policy is that everybody else first understand what we're talking about. A major power like ours could never have it any other way, of course."

Of course. I was very glad to gain at least that understanding of our relations with other nations, I assured Subtle Nuance. It has always amazed me how our presidents and ambassadors can go around the world telling others how to live with each other, when our representatives don't even understand what those people might be trying to tell us!

"It is something we learn in applying domestic policy here at home," Nuance explained, "before we're ever allowed to go meddling in the lives of foreigners."

**— by john edmands**

## *Guest Column*

# Leg pay

**Leo T. McCarthy**
**Speaker, California Assembly**

Next June voters will likely be asked to consider a constitutional amendment to remove from the California Legislature its present authority to act upon compensation for elected officials in all three branches of state government.

Senate Constitutional Amendment 45 would, if approved by the voters create an independent seven member state commission to regulate salaries and benefits for judges, legislators, the governor and other state constitutional officers.

The proposal would eliminate the present system under which lawmakers set their own salaries, within the present limits set in the constitution. It would also prevent lawmakers from writing their own retirement program and other fringe benefits.

The proposed commission would work this way: The governor would appoint the chairman of the Fair Political Practices Commission, Chairman of the State Personnel Board and Chairman of the Little Hoover Commission. These three would then select a representative from a voter education organization like the League of Women Voters and from a statewide taxpayer watchdog group like the California Taxpayers Association.

The sixth member would be named by the State Judicial Council. A seventh commissioner would be appointed directly by the governor.

The commission would be required to meet openly and take citizen testimony on proper levels of compensation for elected officials in all three branches.

The commission is specifically prohibited from permitting any elected official use of an automobile at state expense unless such use is limited exclusively to official business. Commission members must also limit such benefits as health care and insurance to the same level available to all other state employes.

Once the commission has established what it considers a proper compensation, per diem expenses and any fringe benefits, its recommendations would be forwarded to the Legislature. A majority of both houses would be required to approve the commission recommendations. The Legislature could not change the recommendations. It could only accept or reject them.

A new commission would be formed every two years. It would have the same powers and duties to hold hearings and make recommendations. While the elected representatives would still be required to vote on salaries and other benefits, the commission would have total control over what benefits it felt were appropriate.

Presently 23 states use the commission system for determining proper pay levels. Only one state, Oklahoma, permits the commission to actually set salaries and fringe benefits. The other 22 states operate similarly to the proposal in SCA 45.

After careful study of the proposed amendment, the California Taxpayers Association, Common Cause and the Fair Political Practices Commission endorsed it. It was approved by the State Senate by 27 to 2. It will also have bi-partisan support in the Assembly when we vote next month.

An overwhelming majority of elected officials welcome the idea of an independent commission looking at our salaries and benefits. I am confident that any independent commission will provide us with a decent salary and benefits equal to that of any other public employees which is just what any elected official has the right to expect.

I feel strongly that California will support an equitable proposal such as SCA 45 offers. And I am confident it will prove beneficial to the public, both in limiting elected officials compensation and in helping to attract qualified representatives.

## Berry's World

*"I hate to admit this, but maybe Rozelle was right about 'unnecessary violence'!"*

# Dr. Joyce Brothers

DEAR DR. BROTHERS: About three weeks ago my husband brought a client home to dinner. I almost passed out when they walked through the door. The man and I had been romantically and sexually involved for about two years before I met and married my husband (That was 10 years ago). Although I'm sure he knew me, my former lover gave n indication that we had ever met. Yet I've been worried sick wondering if he said anything to my husband or if I could because he didn't knw about the other man in my life. I. O.

DEAR I. O.: It would appear from your letter that your former lover is a gentlemen, well aware of the embarrassment any reaction on his part might cause you. Therefore he kept silent.

If you husband hasn't raised any questions in the three weeks since that dinner, your fears that he knows anything seem groundless. You would have heard about it by now.

Definitely don't stir up trouble for yourself now by confession what you did back before you marrie. Your life was your own then and if your husband hasn't asked, he's obviously content with you as you are.

Bury the past—emotionally and mentally.

DEAR DR. BROTHERS: Three years ago I remarried. My husband had never been married before. He has made a nice home for me and seems honestly devoted to my two teen-age children. The problem is his mother. He always lived with her and felt he should provide a home for her after his marriage—with us. She is almost 80, senile, most demanding, and can't stand children. My husband has a brother and three sisters, but he feels obligated to care for his mother. It is threatening our marriage because of late he has taken her sides more and more, chastising the children and telling me that I should be more attentive to her when he's not around. I don't know where to turn. D. X.

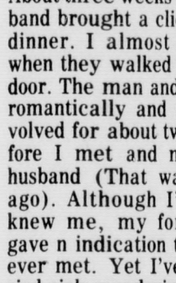
DEAR D.S.: Obviously you and your husband are in your middle years and therefore should be able to confront this problem with a mature outlook.

You must have been aware of your husban'd devotion and support his his mother before you married. That was the time to have straighened out any questions of what was to be done about her.

Your husband, despite his sense of obligation, must realize that his situation has changed and he no longer is tied to his mother as closely as before. In fact, he may be subconsciously be using this sense of moral respectibility as a defense to put off what may be he a hard decison to make.

He has three choices, really, if he sincerely wants to maintain your marriage. He can hire a homemaker to take over those chores that pertain to his mother. He can place her in a nursing home, where she might be better off. Of he can ask his brother ans sisters to share in the care of their mother on a rotating basis.

All sons have obligtaions to their mothers, true, but they have just as specific obligations to their wives and families.



# Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB — In 1952 I took progesterone to prevent miscarriage of my fimst daughter. After reading articles about estrogen and other hormones, I've become alarmed about possible danger to my daughter's health. Could you give me some pertinent information?

DEAR READER — The problem that has been widely publicized involves DES (diethylstilbesterol), a synthetic estrogen. It is not the same thing as progesterone. Progesterone is the other main female hormone besides estrogen. It calms the uterine muscular contractions to promote implantation of the fertilized ovum at the beginning of pregnancy. There is no evidence whatsoever that progesterone is involved in cancer of the uterus or in the subsequent occurance of cancer in an offspring. You can forget about that problem in your daughter's case entirely.

The other point of some interest is how few women who took DES really ran any risk of causing a daughter to develop cancer. The whole problem has been blown completely out of proportions in many news stories. Dr. Arthur L. Herbst, from the University of Chicago medical school, and colleagues have restudied the available data and find that the chance of a young woman developing cancer because her mother took DES is between one in 1,000 to one in 10,000.

Add to that the estimate that in about a 20 year span, between one and 10 percent of pregnant women took DES and less than half of these pregnancies produced females. You find then that the rate of vaginal cancer in pregnancies for this period was somewhere between one in 20,000 to one in two million pregnancies.

The women who were enabled to have a baby who would not have completed pregnancy without medical help may have been between one and 10 percent of all the women who were pregnant.

## Johnny Wonder's QUESTION CORNER

Q. "HOW DOES THE SILKWORM MAKE ITS SILK?"
A. A SILKWORM HAS SPECIAL GLANDS IN ITS MOUTH WHICH OOZE A STICKY LIQUID THAT HARDENS INTO SILK AS IT COMES INTO CONTACT WITH THE AIR
RYAN WOODBURY CONCORD, CA
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Dick Rogers

More than 4,000 years ago the Chinese learned to weave cloth from the silk thread made by the silkworm in spinning its cocoon.

Silkworms are really the caterpillars of the silkworm moth. The silkworm makes its silk by oozing a sticky fluid from special silk glands in its mouth.

This fluid quickly hardens into a fine silk thread.

Silkworms hatch from tiny eggs laid by the demale moth. Those cultivated for their silk are kept on large trays and are fed leaves of the mulberry tree.

When grown, the silkworm spins a silken cocoon around itself. Only those needed for laying eggs will be allowed to change into adult moths, however.

To obtain the silk, the cocoons are put into hot water to loosen the threads. When unwound, the thread from one cocoon may be more than 1,000 feet long.

*A World Almanac Globe, camera, radio, Johnny Wonder Puzzle Book or other fine prize to the first youngster sending a question used here to: Johnny Wonder (c/o this paper), Box 1335 (DA), Santa Cruz, CA. 95061. Include your age!*

# astrograph

Get yourself involved in organizations that espouse causes you can believe in this coming year. Being part of them will open doors for you that you didn't think possible.

**CAPRICORN (Dec.22-Jan.19)** This is a day when you meet people easily. Your openhandedness intrigues them and they will be impressed and want to know you better. Find out more about yourself by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter. Mail 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify your birth sign.

**AQUARIUS (Jan.20-Feb.19)** Anyone who feels you can be easily bluffed today is barking up the wrong tree. They'll know the truth when they tramp on your toes and wish they hadn't.

**PISCES (Feb.20-March 20)** Break your routine today and do something out of the ordinary. You'll probably meet someone very interesting in a place you've never been.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Put your entire force behind things in which you have a vested interest with another today. If you go full steam ahead, big things can be accomplished.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You are not that set in your ways today. If someone approaches you with a workable plan, you'll have an open mind.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** A superior with an eye to empire-building may approach you with an idea that he's earmarked for self-aggrandizement. Do it willingly, for his little plot may fail.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Liberation allows us gals to take the bull by the horns today. If the guy you yearn for has been reticent, invite him out instead of waiting for the phone to ring.

**LEO (July 23-Aug.22)** The best ideas you have today are of the productive variety that deal with your work or career. This is where you should direct your concentrated efforts and energy.

**VIRGO (Aug.23-Sept.22)** Early in the day you may be sober and preoccupied. Later, your fun side comes forth and you enjoy yourself and enliven those around you.

**LIBRA (SBpt.23-Oct.23)** Financial aspects continue to be favorable for you today with one possible exception: avoid entanglements with friends who expect to reap what you sow.

**SCORPIO (Oct.24-Nov.22)** Today you're what actors call a "quick study." If someone comes up with an idea or plan, you can evaluate it quickly and correct its faults.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov.23-Dec.21)** Those who make demands of you will turn you off completely today. If you are mowed by your own simpatico, however, you could be generous to a fault.

# crossword

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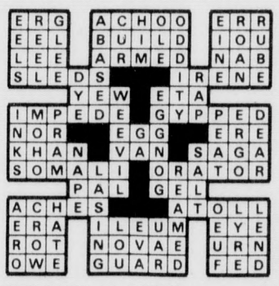
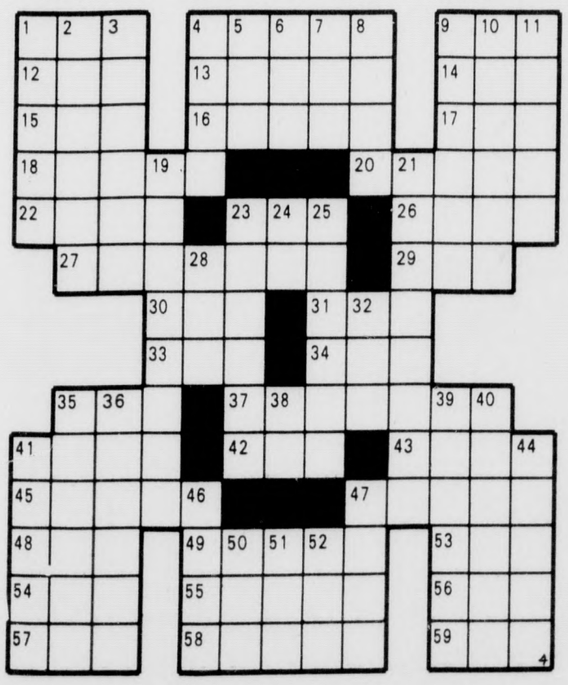


**ACROSS**

1 Which (Fr.)
4 Al Capp character
9 Sunshine state (abbr.)
12 Ones (Fr.)
13 Unsophisticated
14 Painting medium
15 It is (contr.)
16 Brazilian port
17 Frequently (poet.)
18 Subject
20 Conference site, 1945
22 Soviet river
23 Kennel sound
26 Milwaukee brew
27 Piggish
29 Bizarre
30 Man of influence (abbr.)
31 Deportment
33 Adenosine triphosphate (abbr.)
34 Fast aircraft (abbr.)
35 Hanker
37 Dessert
41 Specialty restaurant
42 Highway curve
43 Animal flesh
45 Insect
47 French subway
48 Friend (Fr.)
49 Clerical title
53 Auxiliary verb
54 Author Fleming
55 Sacred song
56 Broke bread
57 Compass point
58 Minds
59 The (Fr.)

**DOWN**

1 Ink writing instrument
2 Unknots
3 Ancient Hebrew ascetic
4 Actress Bancroft
5 Sound made by sheep
6 Insect egg
7 Actress Gabor
8 Fall back on
9 Duped
10 Hoisted
11 Church part
19 Of electricity
21 Unfinished
23 Radical
24 While
25 Moon features
28 Eligible
32 Doctrine
35 Exon
36 Lily Maid
38 Cesium symbol
39 Fatal
40 Hard handed defense
41 Milk
44 Fails to finish first
46 Pork type (pl.)
47 New York ball club
50 Scary word
51 Heat unit
52 Long fish



# win at bridge

NORTH 1/4-A
♠ 6 4
♥ J
♦ K Q 10 9 8 6 4 3
♣ A 5

WEST
♠ K J 8
♥ 10 9 8 6 5 3
♦ 7
♣ K Q 9

EAST
♠ A Q 10 7
♥ Q 4 2
♦ 2
♣ 10 7 6 4 2

SOUTH
♠ 9 5 3 2
♥ A K 7
♦ A J 5
♣ J 8 3

Vulnerable: North-South, Dealer: East, Opening lead: King of clubs.

| West | North | East | South |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Pass | 1♦ |
| 1♥ | 2♥ | 4♥ | Pass |
| Pass | 6♦ | Pass | Pass |
| Pass | | | |

**By Oswald Jacoby & Alan Sontag**

North Fell in love with this hand. He had won five national championships, but never had held eight-card trump support for a partner's opening bid.

He cue bid two hearts to tell his partner he had a strong hand with diamond support. Two hearts usually shows first-round control of hearts, but North stretched the point, so in love was he with his eight diamonds.

On his final turn, he leaped to slam without even using Blackwood. A spade lead would have meant instant defeat. But West, not being clairvoyant made the normal lead of the king of clubs.

South, also many times a national champion, studied the dummy quickly and recognized that he had just one chance: a bluff.

South could see 11 top tricks: eight diamonds, two hearts and a club. There was only one possibility for a 12th trick. It risked going down three tricks instead of one, but the slam bonus made it worthwhile.

Declarer immediately played dummy's jack of hearts. East innocently played low. South played his seven and the jack won the trick!

Now the slam was a cakewalk. South wanted to stand up and cheer. He had pulled a rare and fine swindle. But, being an expert, he reined in his emotions long enough to complain.

"You bid that hand like a lunatic," he told North.

"You made it, didn't you?" quipped North.

East and West were also made and they got into the act.

"Why didn't you cover the jack of hearts?" carped West.

"Why didn't you lead a spade?" shot back East.

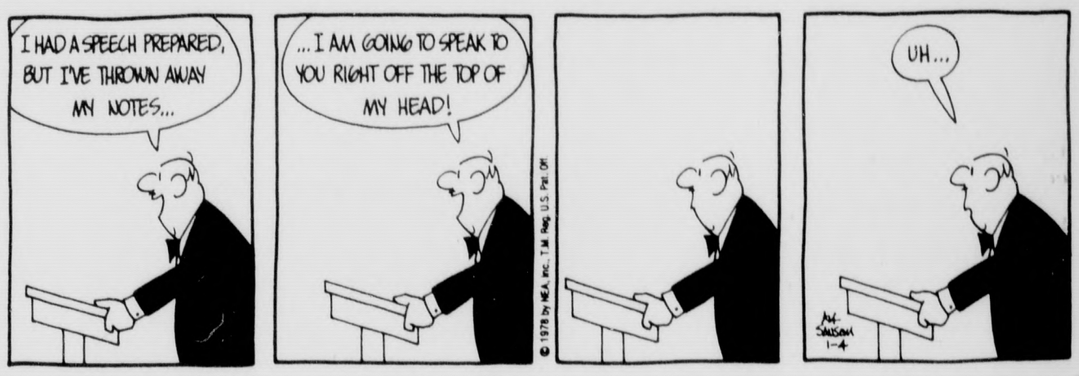
No one was happy, except South.

# family circus

"When you read my horrorscope, why does it always say 'and be a good boy today'?"

## HEATHCLIFF

## THE BORN LOSER


I HAD A SPEECH PREPARED, BUT I'VE THROWN AWAY MY NOTES...
...I AM GOING TO SPEAK TO YOU RIGHT OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD!
UH...
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## SHORT RIBS

WHAT'S THIS, SIRE?
YOUR PINK SLIP...
I'M SORRY...
BUT, SIRE...
BUT, DUE TO THE NEW QUOTA SYSTEM...
SIR J. ARC IS TAKING YOUR PLACE AS ROYAL DRAGON SLAYER.
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## FRANK AND ERNEST

## AGATHA CRUMM

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP, BUNNY?
I WANT TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY OF A GIANT CONGLOMERATE, TAKING THE HELM AT A TIME OF FINANCIAL CRISIS...
...AND CREATE A MODEL OF EFFICIENCY AND STABILITY!
DID I SAY IT RIGHT, GRAN'MA?
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HOEST

## the CIRCUS of P.T. BIMBO

## MOOSE MILLER

CHESTER, IS IT CONSIDERED ABNORMAL BEHAVIOR FOR PEOPLE TO TALK TO THEMSELVES?
PSYCHOLOGISTS SAY IT'S PERFECTLY NORMAL TO HAVE A CHAT WITH ONE'S SELF!
THANK GOODNESS! FEET, GET MOVING!
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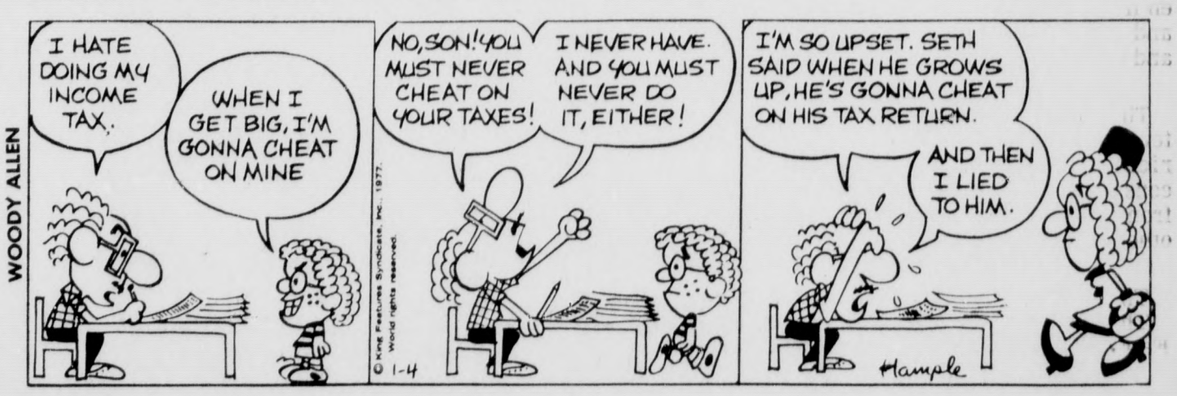
## WOODY ALLEN


I HATE DOING MY INCOME TAX.
WHEN I GET BIG, I'M GONNA CHEAT ON MINE
NO, SON! YOU MUST NEVER CHEAT ON YOUR TAXES!
I NEVER HAVE. AND YOU MUST NEVER DO IT, EITHER!
I'M SO UPSET. SETH SAID WHEN HE GROWS UP, HE'S GONNA CHEAT ON HIS TAX RETURN.
AND THEN I LIED TO HIM.
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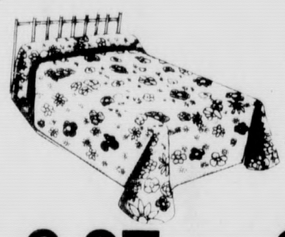

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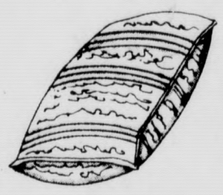

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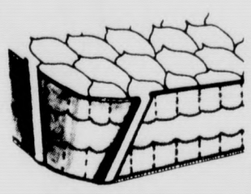

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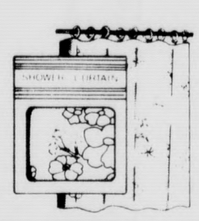

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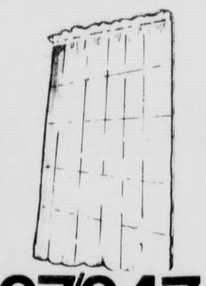

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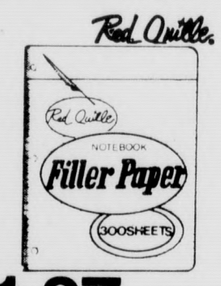


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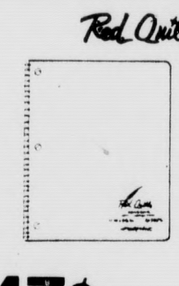

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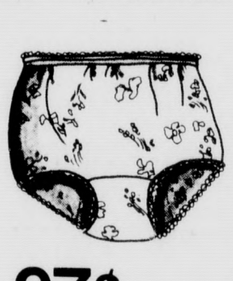

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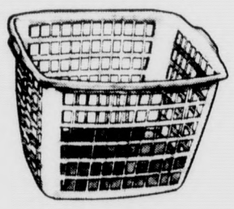

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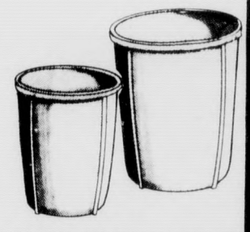

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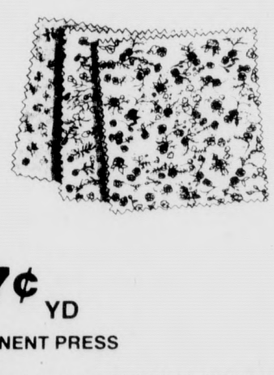

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# SOUPS and STEWS

## ONE-DISH MEALS THAT SOOTHE THE SPIRIT

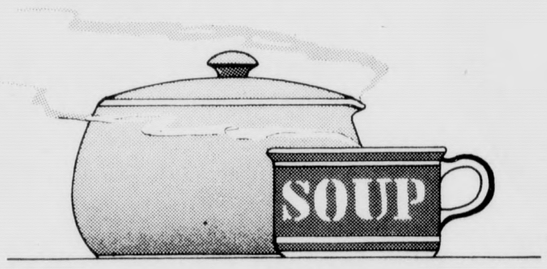
Ever get to the end of a long, wearying day just craving comforting food to nourish your drained spirit? Well, a warming, honest soup or stew could be just the thing to restore your good humor.

The Spanish, for example, revive flagging spirits with Golden Fish Soup. (They call it *Sopa de Pescado Aureo.*) The soul of this hearty main dish is its sunny broth: seasoned fish stock laced with piquant Florida orange juice and mellow sauterne. Thick with chunks of tender codfish fillets, the soup is capped with a dollop of mashed, hard-cooked egg yolk and slivered crescents of egg white. It couldn't be more delicious or more soothing.

The recipe for Grapefruit Lamb Stew is a formula for calming frazzled nerves. It's made in restful stages that allow you to catch your breath before sitting down to dinner.

After browning the cubes of lamb, sprinkle them with flour and seasonings and cook for 10 minutes. Stir in the Florida grapefruit juice that gives the stew its distinctive zestiness, some chicken broth, chopped tomatoes and savory herbs. Now sit down and put your feet up while all these lovely flavors simmer together for an hour. Once you've added carrots, onions and potatoes, you can relax for another 35 minutes until the meat and vegetables are tender. Accent the stew with colorful okra and green beans and you'll be able to dig in, rested and ravenous.

Your good spirits will even persist through the clean-up. Since both dishes are meals in themselves, there's only one pot to scrub!



### GOLDEN FISH SOUP
**(Sopa de Pescado Aureo)**

*1 tablespoon olive oil*
*1 garlic clove, peeled*
*1/2 cup finely chopped onion*
*3 1/2 cups water*
*1 pound fresh codfish fillet, cut in thick pieces*
*1/2 teaspoon salt*
*1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper*
*1 1/2 cups Florida orange juice*
*1/3 cup sauterne or semisweet white wine*
*1 hard-cooked egg*
*1/8 teaspoon paprika*

Heat oil in large saucepan. Sauté garlic clove until brown; discard. Add onion, sauté until golden. Add water, fish, salt and pepper; bring to boiling. Reduce heat, cover, simmer 25 minutes. Strain broth and return to pan. Bone the fish, cut into small pieces, add to broth. Stir in orange juice and wine; heat through. Before serving, separate egg yolk from egg white. Mash egg yolk and paprika together, sprinkle over soup. Slice egg white thinly and add to soup. YIELD: 6 to 8 servings.

### GRAPEFRUIT LAMB STEW

*2 tablespoons butter or margarine*
*2 pounds lamb shoulder, cut in 1-inch cubes*
*2 tablespoons flour*
*1 1/2 teaspoons sugar*
*1 teaspoon salt*
*1/4 teaspoon pepper*
*1 cup chicken broth*
*1 cup Florida grapefruit juice*
*2 large tomatoes, peeled, seeded and chopped*
*1 clove garlic, minced*
*1/4 teaspoon dried leaf thyme*
*1 bay leaf*
*3 potatoes, pared and cut into quarters*
*4 carrots, pared and cut into quarters*
*6 small onions*
*1 package (10 ounces) frozen whole okra, thawed*
*1 package (10 ounces) frozen cut green beans, thawed*

Melt butter in a large, deep kettle. Add lamb cubes and brown on all sides. Sprinkle meat with flour, sugar, salt and pepper. Cook over low heat for 10 minutes. Add chicken broth, grapefruit juice, tomatoes, garlic, thyme and bay leaf. Bring to a boil, cover and cook for 1 hour. Add potatoes, carrots and onions. Cook, covered, over low heat 35 minutes, until meat and vegetables are tender. Add okra and beans and cook 10 minutes longer. YIELD: 6 servings.

### ORANGE MULLIGATAWNY SOUP

*2 cups Florida orange juice*
*2 quarts water*
*1 broiler-fryer chicken, whole or cut in serving pieces*
*1 cup chopped celery and leaves*
*1 cup sliced carrots*
*1 cup chopped onion*
*2 apples, pared, cored and diced*
*2 tomatoes, peeled and diced*
*1 1/2 tablespoons salt*
*1 teaspoon curry powder*
*1/3 cup uncooked regular rice*

In a large kettle, combine orange juice, water, chicken, celery, carrots, onion, 1 apple, 1 tomato, and salt. Cover and simmer for 1 hour. Remove chicken, remove meat from bones, cut into bite-size pieces and return to broth. Add remaining apple, tomato, curry powder and rice; cover and simmer for 30 minutes. YIELD: 2 3/4 quarts; 6 servings.

### GRAPEFRUITBRATEN STEW

*2 pounds beef chuck, cut in 1 1/2-inch cubes*
*1 cup Florida grapefruit juice*
*2 tomatoes, peeled, seeded and chopped*
*1/2 cup chopped onion*
*1/2 cup chopped celery*
*2 tablespoons chopped parsley*
*1 teaspoon salt*
*1 1/2 teaspoons pickling spice*
*1 bay leaf*
*1/8 teaspoon peppercorns*
*1/4 cup gingersnap crumbs*
*1/4 cup sour cream*
*1/4 cup raisins*
*2 cups Florida grapefruit sections°*
*2 tablespoons brown sugar*

Place beef, grapefruit juice, tomatoes, onion, celery, parsley and salt in electric slow cooker; mix well. Wrap pickling spice, bay leaf and peppercorns in cheesecloth, tie and add to meat mixture. Cover and cook on high 4 to 5 hours, or on low for 10 to 12 hours, until meat is tender. Stir in gingersnap crumbs, sour cream, raisins, grapefruit sections and brown sugar. Cook an additional 5 minutes; serve. YIELD: About 6 servings.

° To section Florida grapefruit, cut slice from top, then cut off peel in strips from top to bottom, cutting deep enough to remove white membrane, then cut slice from bottom. Or cut off peel round and round spiral fashion. Go over fruit again, removing any remaining white membrane. Cut along side of each dividing membrane from outside to middle of core. Remove section by section over bowl to retain juice from fruit.

## Community

# Courses set at SR center

DANVILLE — Pre-registration will be held this week for courses scheduled at the San Ramon Valley Community Center.

Among the courses to be offered are the following:

Coping With Loss — Eight Tuesday nights, starting Jan. 10 from 7:30 to 9:30. This eight-week series is open to men and women experiencing and needing help in coping with loss. Loss may have resulted from the death of someone close, or from divorce, separation or abandonment. Coping in these times is difficult, the course outline states, and accompanying feelings of loss of self esteem, loneliness, guilt as well as difficulties in personal relationships create enormous pain, confusion, depression, extreme anxiety and often irrational decisions.

Betty DeWolf will be instructor. For more information, call Gail at the San Ramon Valley Community Center, 837-8235.

Learning to Manage Your Time Effectively — Thursdays starting Jan. 12 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Time management will help take a fresh look at priorities, to set goals, organize workloads, delegate and consolidate tasks, and develop a personalized schedule. This workshop is aimed toward the woman "who is forever juggling household chores, family needs, work both in and out of the home, and creative pursuits in an attempt to find some balance."

Registration is limited. For further information, call Gail at the Community Center, 837-8235.

Female Sexuality Seminar for Men — A one-day seminar scheduled Saturday, Jan. 14, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. This seminar is designed for men who wish to learn more about female sexuality as it relates to themselves. The workshop will utilize lecture, discussion, and question and answer. This seminar is limited to 10 men and will be led by Carol R. Nicoll, M.A., who is associated with the Developmental Counseling Center of Walnut Creek. For more information, call Dave at the Community Center, 837-8235.

## Classes for all ages

DUBLIN — The Dublin San Ramon Services District (DSRSD) Recreation Department will be offering a variety of classes for children through senior citizens beginning the week of Jan. 16.

Children's winter classes will include guitar, gymnastics, judo, pottery, pre-school tumbling, psychomotor development and tennis plus much, much more.

Teen and adult classes will include arts n' crafts, advanced and beginning bridge, gourmet cooking, judo and self-defense, adult gymnastics and slim and trim.

For information on these and other classes call the recreation office at 828-7711.

## Elderly can shape up

DUBLIN — Physical Fitness After Fifty is a class being co-sponsored by the Dublin San Ramon Services District (DSRSD) Recreation Department and Chabot College.

The class is a regular program of non-vigorous routines suitable to maintain health and vigor throughout a lifetime.

This free-of-charge program will be held at Shannon Community Center, 11600 Shannon Ave., Dublin. from Jan. 9 until March 20. The class will meet Mondays from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

The instructor will be Carolyn Larsen.

For more information, call 828-7711.

# What teens can do this week

DUBLIN — Teen activities are lined up this week at Shannon Community Center by the Dublin San Ramon Services District (DSRSD) Recreation Department.

The Shannon Teen Center will be open today from 2 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m. Two new release albums will be played. They are Eric Clapton, "Slowhand;" and Earth, Wind and Fire, "All 'N All."

The Slim and Trim class also meets tonight at 6:30 at Shannon Center. This free-of-charge activity is open to teens from 13 to 19 years of age.

Another 6:30 p.m. activity involves the Dublin Youth Council. The council is starting a new membership drive. Teens living in the Dublin San Ramon area are invited to give advice on teen activities to the council.

The Dublin Youth Council sponsors dances, concerts, fund-raising events, community activities and excursions.

There will be a Disco Committee meeting at 7 p.m. tomorrow at Shannon Center. Any Dublin Sa Ramon teen interested in getting the proposed disco organized is invited to attend this planning session on band selection, disco systems, decorations and props, refreshments and publicity.

On Jan. 6, the Shannon Teen Center is open from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m. During the earlier hours, teens can work on leather crafts. A belt can be made for $3; a wristband or keyholder for 50 cents.

All game activities are free Jan. 7 at Shannon Teen Center during the hours it will be open from 1 to 5 p.m.

Upcoming special activities include a concert with Mogul at California High, Jan. 14 from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Tickets are $2. They can be purchased at Galaxy Records, World Records in Dublin and at Shannon Community Center, 11600 Shannon Ave., Dublin.

Ticket sales begin Jan. 6 for the first-ever "Disco at Shannon Park" scheduled for Jan. 20. The $2 tickets can be purchased at Dublin High School, California High School and Shannon Community Center.

The DSRSD is making a list of local bands. If you have a band and would like to get on this referral list, call Shannon Center between 7 and 9 p.m. Monday through Friday. The phone number is 828-7711. The list will be used to refer bands to prospective clients and to DSRSD sponsored events.

# Lifesaving in Dublin

DUBLIN — Advanced Lifesaving and Water Safety class will be offered by the Dublin San Ramon Services District (DSRSD) Recreation Department at Valley Community Swim Center, 8157 Village Parkway in Dublin.

The class fee is $8 for 10 lessons beginning Jan. 16 and ending Feb. 15.

The Monday and Wednesday sessions are from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The American Red Cross advanced lifesaving and water safety certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of the class.

Prerequisites for the class are that the swimmer must be at least 15 year old, must possess swimmer skills and should be able to swim 500 yards.

Mail-in registrations are being accepted. Make checks payable to Dublin San Ramon Services District and send then to 7051 Dublin Blvd, Dublin.

Class registrations will continue Jan. 9 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; also, from 7 to 9 p.m. Registrations will continue the rest of the week from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

All registrations are accepted at Shannon Park Community Center, 11600 Shannon Ave., Dublin.

For further information, call 828-7711.

# Tax break on homes that aid handicapped

HAYWARD — Deductions up to $25,000 are allowed residents of their own homes for remodeling and repair costs that make the home more accessible to handicapped people, according to a new California law.

The newsletter published by the Self Dependence for the Handicapped Resource Center, Inc. in Hayward advised their members of the new law in their latest report.

This law applies to "homes, buildings and vehicles."

The federal (IRS) ruling permitted that deduction for businesses and landlords.

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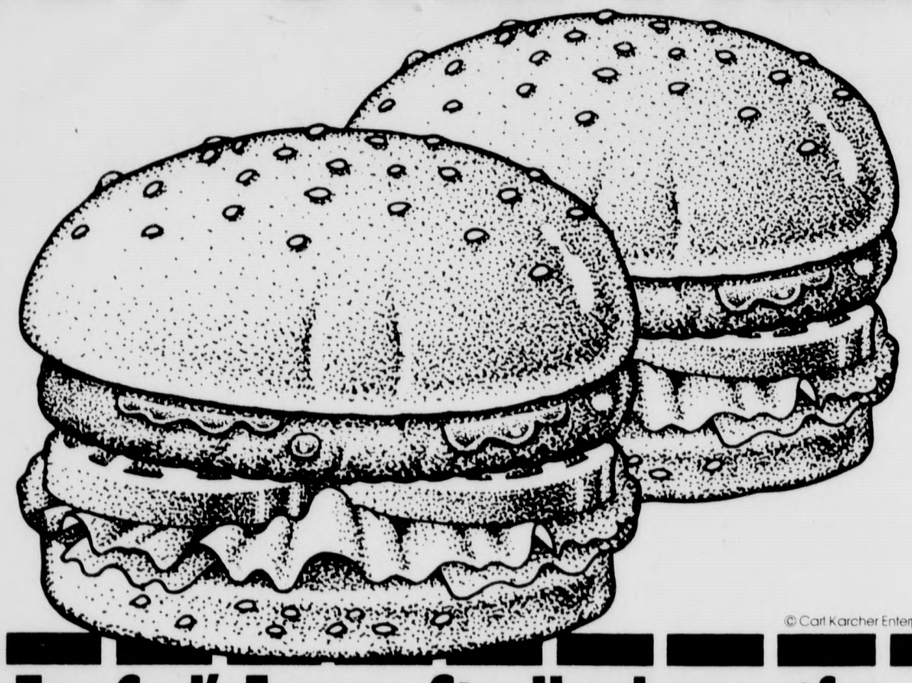

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# Speak up if you've got loan complaints

WASHINGTON (AP) — Banking regulators have started encouraging customers to complain when they think lenders have misled or discriminated against them.

The Federal Reserve and the comptroller of the currency are including a complaint form and a list of consumer rights in brochures they will send to the banks they regulate. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. has already sent similar pamphlets to its state-chartered banks.

The banks are not required to post these pamphlets but most have cooperated in posting other consumer lending brochures, banking regulators said.

The comptroller's brochure "was prompted by the low volume of complaints currently being received by this office," Comptroller of the Currency John Heimann said.

The pamphlets generally advise people to contact a bank first and to try to resolve the problem directly. If that doesn't work, they advise filling out the complaint form and mailing it to the local office of the agency supervising the bank.

The comptroller's office says it will contact the bank and promises "you will be informed of the results of that investigation."

The consumers' rights come from a series of recent credit laws that cover banks and the credit cards they handle. Among them:

— You have a right to know the finance charge — the amount of money it costs to get credit. You must also be told the annual percentage rate you are paying.

— If a business states the amount of a down payment, it also must explain the amount and duration of weekly or monthly payments. Banks, along with businesses, are responsible for these terms in the contract.

— If you put up a house for security, the lender must notify you that you have a right to cancel the transaction within three days.

— You can challenge what you believe to be errors in your billing statement. While you wait for an answer you do not have to pay the disputed amount.

— Lenders cannot discriminate in any aspect of a credit transaction on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, welfare status or age.

Royal B. Dunham Jr., a consumer specialist at the comptroller's office, said his agency will ask banks for written responses to each complaint. He said if there are two or three complaints about the same subject, examiners might be sent to investigate further.


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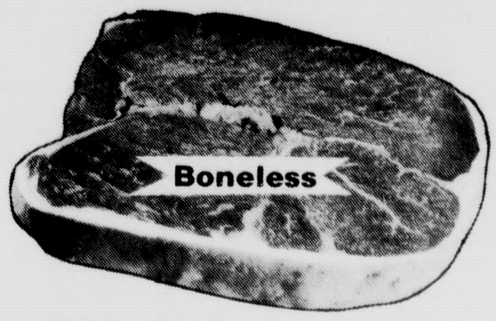


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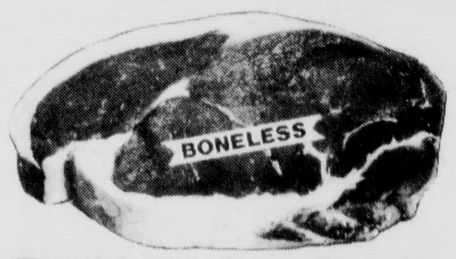
| Frying Chicken | USDA, Grade A (Cut Up lb. - 61¢) Whole Body | lb. 46¢ |
| Lady Lee Sliced Bacon | (Thick 2 lb. pkg. - 2.37) | 1 lb. pkg. 1.19 |
| Pork Loin Sirloin Roast | 3½ to 4 lbs., Finest Eastern | lb. 1.29 |
| Rath Black Hawk Sliced Bacon | | 1 lb. pkg. 1.24 |

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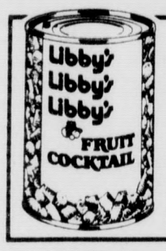

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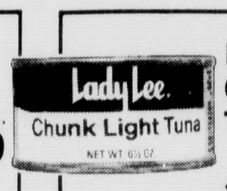

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Nestle's **Candy Bars** Crunch, Almond, Choco-lite or Milk 5 oz. 69¢

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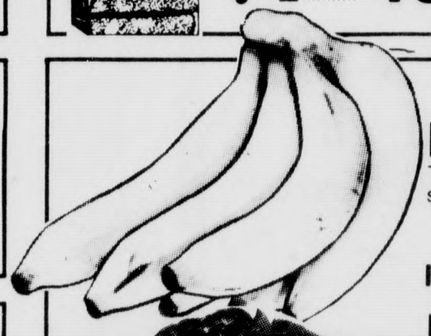

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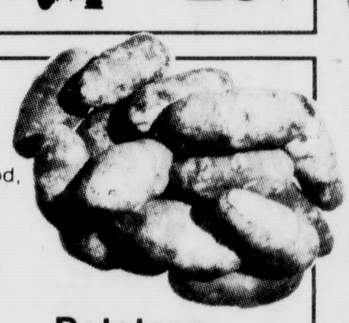

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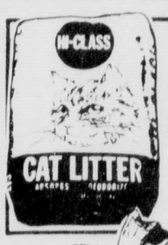


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# Higher cost of groceries

Increases in the prices of breakfast foods — eggs, frozen orange juice and sugar — contributed to higher grocery bills at the start of 1978, according to The Associated Press marketbasket survey.

But the monthly analysis also indicated that coffee drinkers got a break as the retail price of the beverage held or declined.

The survey showed that the prices of 14 commonly purchased food and non-food items rose an average of 2.3 percent in December. That brought the year's increase to 11.7 percent. The average overall increase a year earlier was 3.5 percent.

The figures are based on an AP survey that began March 1, 1973. The news service drew up a random list of 15 commonly purchased grocery items and checked the price at one supermarket in each of 13 cities. The list has been rechecked on or about the start of each succeeding month. One item — chocolate chip cookies — had to be dropped from the list at the end of November because the manufacturer discontinued the package size used in the survey.

The government had projected a 6 percent rise in food prices in 1977. But a spokesman for the Bureau of Labor Statistics indicated that through October — the latest national survey available — the price of food purchased for the home had increased 7 percent. Figures for the year will not be available for several weeks, he said.

Between Jan. 1, 1977, and the start of 1978, the AP marketbasket bill went up at the checklist stores in all 13 cities. When coffee — which soared in price after the crop-killing freeze in Brazil in 1975 — was removed from the list, the bills in all stores still showed increases. But the year's average increase, without coffee, was 6.7 percent — 5 percentage points lower than the average including the beverage.

The annual total was boosted by a relatively steep rise in prices in December, some of them seasonal. The AP survey showed that the marketbasket bill increased last month in 11 cities and decreased in only two. The average increase was 3 percent, the average decrease about 2 percent. The overall average increase of 2.3 percent compared with a 0.4 percent increase a month earlier.

Coffee was not among the items contributing to the December upswing. Only one city — New York — reported an increase in the price of a pound of coffee, four showed decreases, 7 stayed the same and one did not have the required brand.

Rising prices for sugar, eggs and frozen orange juice did contribute to the December rise. Price increases also were reported in five cities for chopped chuck and center-cut pork chops and in six for allbeef franks.

Sugar prices are reflecting government price supports instituted for processors early in November, a spokesman for the U.S. Department of Agriculture said. The consumers' cost for sugar increased in December in 10 checklist stores, held steady in two and dropped in only one. The average price for a 5- pound bag of granulated sugar at the beginning of January was $1.12, compared with $1.05 a month earlier.

Grade A medium eggs, which normally rise in price in winter months, were up in 11 cities and down in one. In the 13th checklist store, only extra-large eggs were available.

Joyce Getty, new Chamber of Commerce president in Pleasanton, and Robert Butler, master of ceremonies, star in the annual installation and awards banquet Jan. 21.

## Phone Co. spends big in Valley

Pacific Telephone invested over $8 million in capital inprovements in the Valley in 1977, according to local manager Jack Deckert.

Pleasanton's share, $1 million equalled an investment of almost $78 for each customer and of the $7 million Livermore share, $4.2 million was used to improve service at Sandia and Lawrence Livermore Laboratories.

Other major expenditures in the area included $523,000 for additions to the Pleasanton switching center, $2.8 million for new cable to serve the labs and growing residential use in Livermore and $190,000 for cable additions in Pleasanton on Santa Rita Road and Main Street.

Deckert said the company must invest near $2,000 for each customer, equivalent to $2.50 in plant investment for each $1 in sales.

He added that the Bell System has been increasing its productivity by an average of five to six percent annually which he said was twice the national average and offset the annual inflation rate.

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## Landscape award

Roger Fiske of R.D. Landscaping of San Ramon presents a special plaque to Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Light of Alamo for whose home Fiske recently won top honors in competition sponsored by the California Landscape Contractors Association. Fiske's work on the Light residence was awarded first place in the custom residential landscaping category.

## Aliens must register soon

The Immigration and Naturalization Service today urged all aliens who have not yet filled out alien address report forms to do so before January 31. Forms for this purpose are available at all Post Offices and offices of the Immigration Service.

D.N. Ilchert, District Director, pointed out that the law requires all non-citizens, except persons in diplomatic status and foreign representatives of certain international organizations such as the United Nations, to report their addresses to the Government each January.


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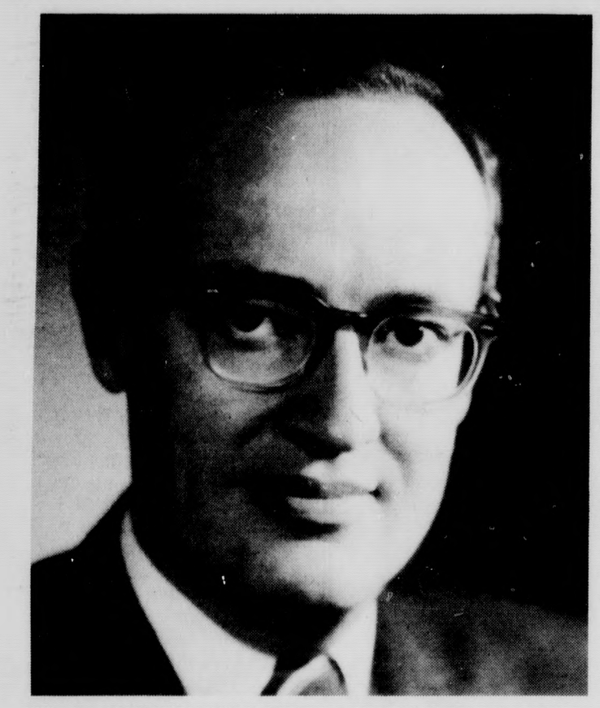

Leonard Steiger has been named executive vice president and chief operating officer for the domestic divisions of Hexcel Corp. which operates a manufacturing facility in Livermore.

Steiger, formerly president of the chemical division of Quaker Oats Co., holds a chemical engineering degree from Cornell University and an MBA from the University of Pennsylvania and has extensive experience in industry management.

## Installation at chamber dinner

PLEASANTON — New officers and directors take the reigns of the Chamber of Commerce Saturday, Jan. 21, during the chamber's annual installation and awards banquet.

Robert Butler, planning commissioner and manager of radioactive production and services at the Vallecitos Nuclear Center, is master of ceremonies. The dinner marks a change of hands as Joyce Getty, owner of The Gingham Corner on Main Street, assumes the presidency. Getty is also president of the Downtown Business Association.

Several community development awards for 1977 will be awarded during the evening. Tickets, $10 per person, are available to all at the chamber office at 10 Neal Street.

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**Preserves** — Empress, Strawberry, 24 oz. — 99¢
**Peanut Butter** — Old Fashioned, Country Pure, 18 oz. — 79¢
**Bath Tissue** — Marigold, 4 roll — 69¢

**Broccoli Spears** — Bel-air, Frozen, 10 oz. — 39¢
**Orange Juice** — Scotch Treat, Frozen Concentrate, 6 oz. — 3 for $1
**Catsup** — Town House, 14 oz. — 3 for $1
**Cling Peaches** — Highway, 29 oz. — 2 for 89¢
**Mac & Cheese** — Town House, 7.25 oz. — 4 for $1
**Tomato Sauce** — Town House, 8 oz. — 8 for $1
**Dog Food** — Pooch Royal, 14.5 oz. — 4 for $1

Monterey Jack — Cheese, Safeway, Random Weight, per pound — $1.69
Lucerne Yogurt — Regular or Pre-stir, 8 oz. — 4 for $1
Salad Dressing — Nu-made, Pourable, 8 oz. — 49¢
Tea Bags — Crown Colony, 48 ct. — 89¢
Tomato Juice — Town House, 46 oz. — 49¢
Fabric Softener — White Magic, 64 oz. — $1.25
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Beef Wieners — Safeway, Skinless — 1-lb. 88¢
Pink Salmon — Pieces for Baking, Frozen Fresh Thawed — $1.66 lb.

Zucchini Squash — Good So Many Ways! — lb. 18¢
Egg Plant — ea. 29¢
Pineapple — Hawaiian, Large — ea. 98¢
Red Potatoes — U.S. #1 — 3-lbs. 39¢
Yellow Onions — U.S. #1 — lb. 10¢

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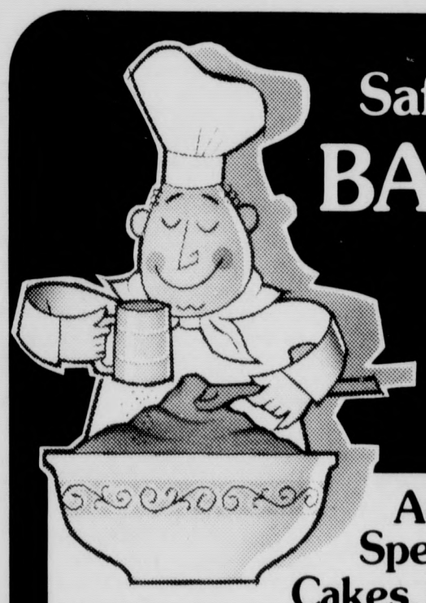

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# The Irish are number 1

The Fighting Irish of Notre Dame, conqueror of previously unbeaten Texas in the Cotton Bowl, were voted national champions of college football yesterday for the seventh time in the 42-year history of The Associated Press poll.

In a three-way battle with two other teams that posted convincing bowl victories, Notre Dame, fifth in the final regular-season poll, won out over Alabama and Arkansas.

The Irish, who routed previously top-ranked Texas 38-10 in the Cotton Bowl, received 37 of 64 first-place votes and 1,180 of a possible 1,280 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Alabama, No. 3 at the end of the regular season, walloped Ohio State 35-6 in the Sugar Bowl and received 19 first-place ballots and 1,132 points.

In third place was Arkansas, a 31-6 winner over Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl. The Razorbacks, No. 6 at the conclusion of the regular season, received 5 votes for the top spot and 1,011 points.

Rounding out the Top Ten were Texas, Penn State, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Pittsburgh, Michigan and Washington.

Notre Dame Coach Dan Devine gathered a number of his players and coaches in his Dallas hotel room for the AP announcement and a loud cheer went up when Devine raised his hand to signal No. 1.

"I have a combined feeling of being humble and thankful," said Devine, who has compiled a 28-7 record in three seasons as Notre Dame's head coach.

"You know I try to hold my emotions in, but I'm kind of quivering all over right now. I'm just so thankful that my staff and players are the kind of people they are."

The loss to Notre Dame dropped Texas from first to fourth with 797 points. The Longhorns also received the remaining two first-place votes. Penn State, a 42-30 Fiesta Bowl winner over Arizona State, climbed from eighth to fifth with 768 points.

The first five teams all finished with 11-1 records, although Texas was the nation's only unbeaten team during the regular season.

Kentucky, on probation and ineligible for a bowl game, rose from seventh to sixth with 605 points.

Oklahoma, No. 2 at the end of the regular season, blew a chance for the title by losing to Arkansas in the Orange Bowl and skidded all the way to seventh place with 592 points.

Then came Pitt, the defending national champion, with 508 points following a 34-3 Gator Bowl rout of Clemson.

Michigan slipped from fourth to ninth by losing to Washington in the Rose Bowl 27-20. The victory boosted Washington from 13th to 10th place.

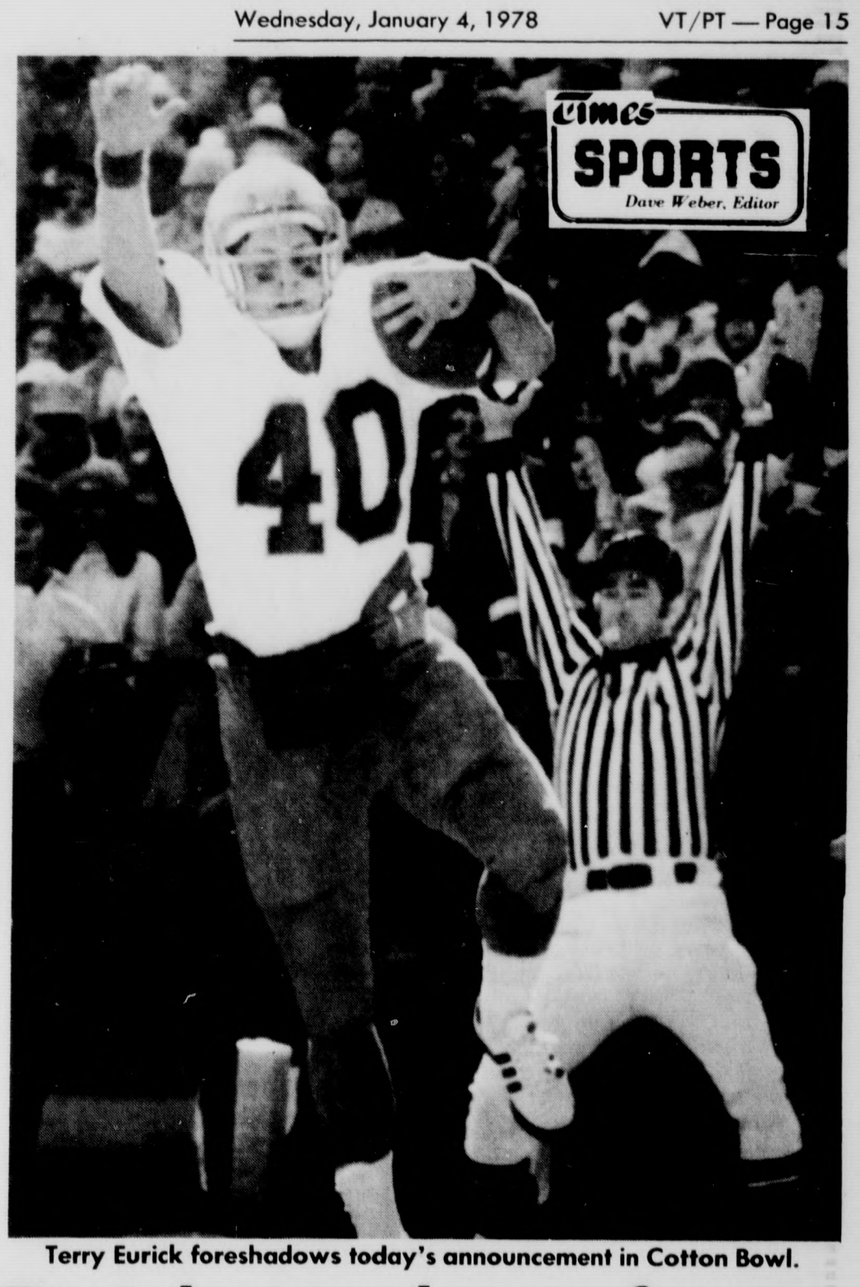
The Second Ten consisted of Ohio State, Nebraska, Southern California, Florida State, Stanford, San Diego State, North Carolina, Arizona State, Clemson and Brigham Young.

The final regular-season second ten was Clemson, Nebraska, Washington, North Carolina, Arizona State, San Diego State, Brigham Young and Texas A&M tied for 17th, followed by Florida State and Southern Cal.

Stanford climbed into the rankings for the first time all season by defeating Louisiana State 24-14 in the Sun Bowl and Texas A&M dropped out by losing to Southern Cal in the Bluebonnet Bowl 47-28.

Notre Dame also won the AP national championship in 1943, 1946, 1947, 1949, 1966 and 1973.

In the 1977 pre-season poll, Oklahoma was ranked No. 1, followed by Michigan, Notre Dame, Southern Cal, Ohio State, Alabama, Pitt, Texas Tech, Texas A&M and Maryland.




Terry Eurick foreshadows today's announcement in Cotton Bowl.

# Dorsett top rookie back

NEW YORK — Tony Dorsett of the Dallas Cowboys, the Heisman Trophy winner who sprinted his way into a select group of 1,000-yard gainers, was named yesterday The Associated Press Offensive Rookie of the Year in the National Football League.

Dorsett, only the eighth NFL player ever to gain 1,000 yards as a rookie, was an overwhelming choice. He received 79 of the 84 votes cast by a nationwide panel of 84 sports writers and broadcasters, three from each NFL franchise city.

Wesley Walker, the New York Jets' wide receiver from the University of California, got three votes. Chicago offensive tackle Ted Albrecht, Walker's teammate at Cal, and Los Angeles wide receiver Billy Waddy received one vote apiece.

Dorsett was the hottest item in the nation as a collegian at the University of Pittsburgh, rushing for an all-time NCAA record 6,082 yards plus 58 touchdowns, and becoming the first collegian to have three 1,500-yard seasons and four 1,000-yard seasons. It was no surprise when the Panthers won the national championship and he won the Heisman Trophy, symbolic of college football's premier player.

In the pros, Dorsett knew what he wanted — or, more precisely, what he didn't want. He didn't want to play in Seattle, he said.

So the Seahawks and Cowboys worked a trade, Dallas getting Seattle's first-round pick (No. 2 behind Tampa Bay, which took running back Ricky Bell), and the Cowboys giving up their first-round pick (No.14 overall) and three second-round choices.

"When we drafted Tony," recalled Tom Landry, Dallas' head coach, "We didn't even tell our coaching staff until after the trade and selection was made 'cause it was such an 'iffy' thing.

"When I walked down hall, the staff was in a different room. I looked in and said, 'Guess who we just drafted.' Ermal Allen (a special assistant in charge of Dallas' research and development) said, 'Who?' And I told him. And he said, 'C'mon, be serious. Who did we draft? Don't kid around.' He couldn't believe we'd gotten him."

What they got was the breakaway runner who helped put the Cowboys back in the Super Bowl. He finished with 1,007 yards and 12 touchdowns rushing plus 273 yards and a TD on 29 receptions. Only Beattie Feathers, Cookie Gilchrist, Paul Robinson, John Brockington, Franco Harris, Lawrence McCutcheon and Don Woods reached 1,000 yards rushing as rookies before Dorsett did it.

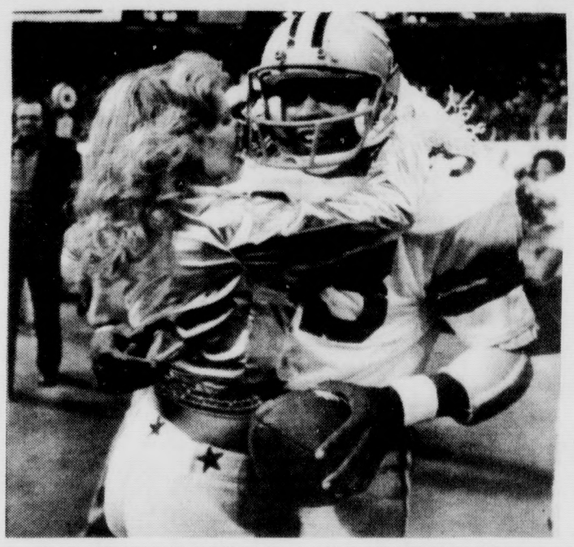
"Anytime you have a back like Dorsett, everything looks better," Landry said. "Tony has given us another dimension. He crystalized the offense when we put him in," making him a starter in the eighth game of the season.

Of Dorsett's 1,007 yards, Landry exclaimed: "That's really amazing. Some great backs didn't achieve that, players like O.J. Simpson and Jim Brown.

"That's quite an accomplishment."

Said Dorsett, "The goal for all of us is to make in on the pro level ... It's been a rewarding year."

That's quite an understatement.



Tony Dorsett gets an early congratulation.

## Celtics fire Heinsohn

BOSTON — Tom Heinsohn, the winningest active coach in the National Basketball Association, was fired yesterday by the troubled Boston Celtics, and Tom Sanders was installed with orders to communicate with the players.

"Familiarity breeds contempt. The players have been around Tommy for too long," Red Auerbach, the Celtics' president and general manager, said after axing his excitable former star forward and giving the job to Heinsohn's soft-spoken assistant.

With the team off to its worst start, 11-23, Auerbach said the Celtics "have got to have new blood. I felt the present situation could not be turned around."

At a news conference with Sanders, Auerbach conceded that players' gripes about Heinsohn "did have something to do with" the firing.

"That," Auerbach said, "coupled with getting the hell knocked out of us."

# Raiders place four

NEW YORK — The Dallas Cowboys and Denver Broncos put four players apiece on The Associated Press All-Pro team, ample reason why they were the two winningest teams in the National Football League and conference champs with a Super Bowl date.

Defensive end Lyle Alzedo, middle linebacker Randy Gradishar, outside linebacker Tom Jackson and safety Bill Thompson are the first-team players for the Broncos, who won playoff games against the Oakland Raiders and Pittsburgh Steelers, winners of the last three Super Bowl games.

The Cowboys, who have played in three Super Bowls and have won one, put wide receiver Drew Pearson, placekicker Efren Herrera, defensive end Harvey Martin and safety Cliff Harris on The AP's first team.

The Cowboys, National Conference champs after their 23-6 victory over Minnesota, and the Broncos, 20-17 winners over Oakland in the American Conference title game, each had 12-2 regular-season records.

The Raiders, winners of last year's Super Bowl, were the only other club to put four players on the first team announced Tuesday — tight end Dave Casper, punter Ray Guy, tackle Art Shell and guard Gene Upshaw.

The San Francisco 49ers were represented on the All-Pro squad by defensive tackle Cleveland Elam.

The Steelers, with running back Franco Harris, defensive tackle Joe Greene and outside linebacker Jack Ham, and the Miami Dolphins, with quarterback Bob Griese, wide receiver Nat Moore and center Jim Langer, placed three apiece on the first team. St. Louis, with cornerback Roger Wehrli and offensive tackle Dan Dierdorf, was the only other team with more than one player on the team.

Others on the first team are running back Walter Payton of Chicago, the biggest vote-getter of all, cornerback Rolland Lawrence of Atlanta, guard Joe DeLamielleure of Buffalo, and kick return specialist Billy Johnson of Houston.

## Vikes welcome Colts

# GGC basketball opens

REDWOOD CITY — Two teams with similar abilities clash in a Golden Gate Conference basketball opener tonight when Canada College hosts Diablo Valley at 7:30 p.m.

Canada will begin its first season in the GGC after formerly being a member of the Camino Norte Conference.

"They're a fairly quick team," pointed out DVC coach Gerry Jones. "But they lost their top player from last year to one of the Oregon schools."

DVC has been hurt by the loss of two players before the regular season, one by suspension. As a result the Vikings aren't overloaded with depth.

"We don't have anyone over 6-foot-2 outside of our starting line-up," Jones went on. "But Darrell Mellion (6-foot-5)has done a real fine job at forward and is our leading scorer and rebounder."

Mellion has averaged 22.8 points per game in non-league play. The freshman has also picked off 9.3 rebounds a contest.

Other Diablo Valley starters are forward Rodney Johnson (6-foot-6); center Ken Craft (6-foot-6); and guards Mark Harski (6-foot-4) and David Mosley (5-foot-10).

Harski is the only sophomore among the starting five.

The Vikings were 3-7 in non-conference play but that included a four-point loss to powerful American River in Sacramento.

"That was probably our best game of the season," Jones commented. "The difference was probably their home court advantage."

Jones sees San Jose City College and Foothill as the GGC title favorties.

"San Jose and Foothill have to be considered the favorities," he said. "One of those two teams is sure to win the title. Laney, with a lot of size, San Francisco and possibly West Valley could be up there."

Jones forsees the Vikings fighting for a spot in the middle and a possible playoff berth.

"This year the round-robin league champion goes right to the state tournament as it has been expanded," Jones pointed out.

"There will then be a playoff between the 2-5 teams for the remaining spot in the tournament. I see us, Chabot, Canada and DeAnza fighting to get into those playoffs.

"Chabot is quick but perhaps not as talented as it has been in the past," he said. "They like to fastbreak a lot. DeAnza is down from the past few years but should be a factor."

What's the Vikings' biggest asset?

"Heart," Jones answered quickly. "The two players we lost gave us a lot of scoring punch, about 22 points per game. So we have to go mostly with just plain heart."

— By Gary Brown

# Cauthen athlete of year

NEW YORK — Steve Cauthen, who missed his high school senior prom because he was busy making horse racing history, was named Athlete of the Year for 1977 yesterday by The Associated Press.

The 17-year-old jockey from Walton, Ky., is the first horse racing personality to win in the 47-year history of the award.

"Nothing disturbs him," said Hall of Fame jockey Eddie Arcaro of the young man who kept his cool throughout his red-hot year. "In defeat he doesn't look back."

But Steve Cauthen will look back on 1977, and he will be hard to him to see the defeats that are as much as part of a jockey's life as his tack. Some scenes on which his mind's eye can focus:

—Dec 10: winning with Gold Seeker Puree on Little Happiness at Aqueduct to become the first jockey to ride winners of $6 million in a single year.

— Nov. 29: riding six winners at Aqueduct. It marked the third time during the year he rode that many winners in a day in New York, an accomplishment matched by no one.

— May 23: suffering a broken wrist and ribs and cuts of the face and hands when Bay Streak broke a leg and fell during the fourth race at Belmont Park.

— June 23: winning with his first ride since his spill on Little Miracle at Belmont Park.

— June 29: riding three winners at Belmont on his first day without an apprentices fivepound weight allowance.

At the end of the year Cauthen had ridden 488 winners and the purses of his mounts totaled $6,151,750. He was the regular jockey for 2-year-old champion Affirmed and grass champion Johnny D., turning in superb rides on both colts in key races that led to their titles.

It will be a difficult year to top, for anybody, and Cauthen's approach is: "I don't have any goals. I just hope to have many more good years."

"The only thing that can stop him is the unforeseen," said Arcaro.

Cauthen received 79 firstplace ballots in nationwide voting by sports writers and broadcasters to beat out baseball player Rod Carew, who collected 40 votes.

Carew, the first baseman for the Minnesota Twins, batted .388 and won his sixth American League batting championship.

Third in the balloting was Chicago Bears running back Walter Payton, who received 33 votes, followed by Portland Trail Blazers center Bill Walton, 24 votes; Cincinnati Reds outfielder George Foster, 20; New York Yankees outfielder Reggie Jackson, 19.

# Last round pick gets first start

## Warriors meet Bulls

Ricky Marsh. . .may start

OAKLAND — The Golden State Warriors keep playing lousy and every one wonders when head coach Al Attles is going to do something, make that anything, about it.

He's likely to start tonight at 7:30 p.m. when the Warriors host the Chicago Bulls at the Coliseum Arena.

The first step is the insertion of last-round draft choice Ricky Marsh into the starting line-up. The rookie guard from Manhattan scored 23 points in Friday's seesaw — between almost and forget it, not win or lose — defeat to Portland.

Does that performance, which also included six assists, qualify Marsh for a starting role ahead of veteran Charles Johnson and All-America choice Rickey Green?

"Very much so," says Attles. "It seems like we get more consistency when he's in there. He's thinkingmore now, too, a few games back, he was shooting the ball too much.

"With Jack (Johnson) or Rickey Green (playing alongside Phil Smith) we seemed to be a little confused," Attles explained. "Ricky (Marsh) had trouble for awhile because the crowd wanted him to shoot and he was letting that influence him — we don't want him looking to shoot every time down the floor."

Marsh and Attles apparently had differences on a recent road trip that are now forgotten. In fact, Marsh claims he never knew there was a problem, though Attles had alluded to it several times.

Now, his pressing problem is to stay in the starting line-up.

"I feel more confident lately," said Marsh after the Portland game. "My play is better and I'm more comfortable."

Twice in the first quarter of that one, Marsh canned a jumper to pull Golden State to within a point, though the comebacks, which continued into the second half, never lasted long.

"That was my shot," said Marsh of the key jumpers. "I hit a couple at the beginning and they kept falling for me."

He ended the night with nine of 15 field goals.

"This was a rotten stretch of games," the rookie said in reference to Golden State's current four-game losing streak. "I can see us playing better ball."

If not, Attles may slowly begin to lose his perpetual cool.

"It gets a little discouraging," the coach admitted, "When you fight so hard to get back into the game and don't get it."

## Charlie Litz

# Safety classes are on docket

### In the Bag

**John Lietzke**, chairman of the hunter safety program at the Livermore - Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club, and his able assistant, George Orloff, will be conducting classes beginning this month.

Classes will be open to anyone ten years of age or older. You may sign up at the following places: Tony's Sporting Goods, 3841 First Street; Arnews Saddlery, 153 North L Street; Dom's Surplus, 56 South Livermore Ave; Value Giant, 1623 Chestnut; (all in Livermore), or at Star Shooting Supply, 4341 Railroad Ave.. in Pleasanton.

**Stop, look, live**

John says he will call or send a postcard notifying you of the date and time. If you don't get in the first class (first come, first served), don't fret — there will be another one next month.

If you have a new gun or archery equipment, learn how to handle it safety through this standard training course. Although the hunting population provides funds for this local training, such a safety course is invaluable even if you don't expect to hunt. For those who enjoy competition shoots, running deer, iron chicken, and the like, you will learn first hand how to handle equipment safely.

If you do plan to hunt, California State Law requires that a person must take and pass a Hunter Safety Course before a new license can be issued.

The DFG reports that California's safety training program is the second largest in the nation, and the first to require training for adults. Highly qualified volunteer instructors have trained over 950,000 persons in safe hunting practices, sportsmanship, and the principles of conservation.

**Don't forget the Trap Shoot** at the local club on Jan. 8. Under PITA rules; shooting starts at 10 a.m. There will be lots of good competition and prizes, too!

**Tim Moxon says a good load** for the 9mm luger is a Lyman cast bullet (mould No. 356402) cast fairly hard — one part tin to 12 or 14 parts lead. This makes a fairly hard bullet; and pushed by 5.9 to 6.0 grains Unique with a Federal No. 100 small pistol primer makes a good load to shoot and is quite accurate.

**Troy Quillin and David Hughs**, two seven - year - olds who are pretty good fishermen, both report disappointing luck at Del Valle on separate outings. Troy says maybe it's the weather, or perhaps wrong time of the moon.

David enjoyed seeing the very tame deer that came down to the water's edge to watch him fish. "That little doe was just as tame as my dog, Black Bart," said David. So he really didn't care that the fish weren't biting.

**Last Fall's deer hunting season** has been summarized by the DFG. The deer kill totaled 36,687 bucks, an increase of 23 percent from the 29,784 total for the 1976 seasons, they report, on the basis of tag returns.

The final tally, which was completed on Dec. 15, indicated a late season kill of 26,875 deer, an increase of 40 percent, and a total of 9,812 animals taken during the early season, which was down 8 percent. The 1976 tag returns were 19,137 and 10,647, respectively.

The take was up significantly, the DFG said, despite the fact that hunter pressure was only equal to or less than that for the previous year in most areas. However, in northeastern California's zone X where hunter pressure was up more than 20 percent, the kill rose from 1,540 in 1976 to 3,014 in 1977. The take there still was below that prior to the zone X designation, however.

Archers had their best season in history, taking a total of 778 animals, up 82 percent from the harvest last year.

A drop in deer numbers in some areas due to drought conditions and access problems were cited as the principal reasons for the slight decline in the early season kill.

The late season harvest, the best in recent years, came when deer numbers were up in most herds. Improved fawn survival and good buck carry - over helped.

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## Dons pick once more

# EBAL basketball underway

With the long pre - season concluded, East Bay Athletic League basketball teams begin league play tonight with four varsity contests scheduled for 8 p.m.

Town rivals Livermore High School and Granada open the season in an important contest at the 'Pokes gym, Foothill hosts Dublin, Amador Valley entertains Monte Vista and California visits San Ramon.

As in many past seasons, EBAL squads played sub-.500 basketball against non - league opposition with acombined record of 26-49. However, many teams played a stiff schedule to better equip themselves for the league season.

The junior varsity and frosh games will be played prior to the varsity as part of a tripleheader beginning at 5:00.

Brief summaries of each team, listed in last season's order of finish follow. The top four teams will again compete in a playoff for the EBAL's North Coast Section AAA tournament spot.

**AMADOR VALLEY** — Bringing a 4-6 record into the league season, the Dons nevertheless must be rated as a solid favorite, having once again played a stiff schedule in December. They lost a three-point decision to highly-touted Castlemont, while dropping a one-point game to last year's TOC finalists, St. Josephs. Disappointing in the two tournaments they have played in (Their own Amador Classic and the Baron-Optimists in Chula Vista), the Dons did manage last wins in each of them, even playing mostly reserves in a win over Madison at the Chula Vista tourney. Coach Skip Mohatt has veteran forward/center Rick Howard returning, as well as forward Chris Kearns. Guards Darren Pembroke and Paul Campana have seen much playing time, while returnees Ken Noble and Creighton Kearns fill out the front line. Rob Santos adds a running dimension to the Amador guards.

**LIVERMORE** — The Cowboys have the best pre - season mark (7-5) coming into tonight's game, and finished sixth in the Tracy Tournament last week. Forward Dick Patterson, an all-tourney player at Tracy who is averaging more than 20 points per game this year, leads the 'Poke returning starters, while 6-foot-4 center BrianSchweiger, a junior, is also back. Guards John Farfan and Jim Rogers showed some fancy ballhandling at Tracy and add experience to the 'Pokes. Forwards Mike May and guard/forward John Bachleda are up from junior varsity and can fill in anytime. Bob Bolen, a junior forward, is strong off the bench.

**MONTE VISTA** — Only high-scoring forward Randy Woods is back for the graduation-depleted Mustangs, a poor 1-7 in the preseason. Their only win came against Antioch in the Del Valle Tourney, 65-59, but they played a strong game against the MVAL's tough Washington High before losing, 62-56. A 68-44 loss to Northgate and an 86-55 beating by Acalanes have been the low points for the 'Stangs. Rich Jones will again coach the team which went 10-4 last year, and will rely heavily on Woods (20 PPG) and forward Jack O'Neill.

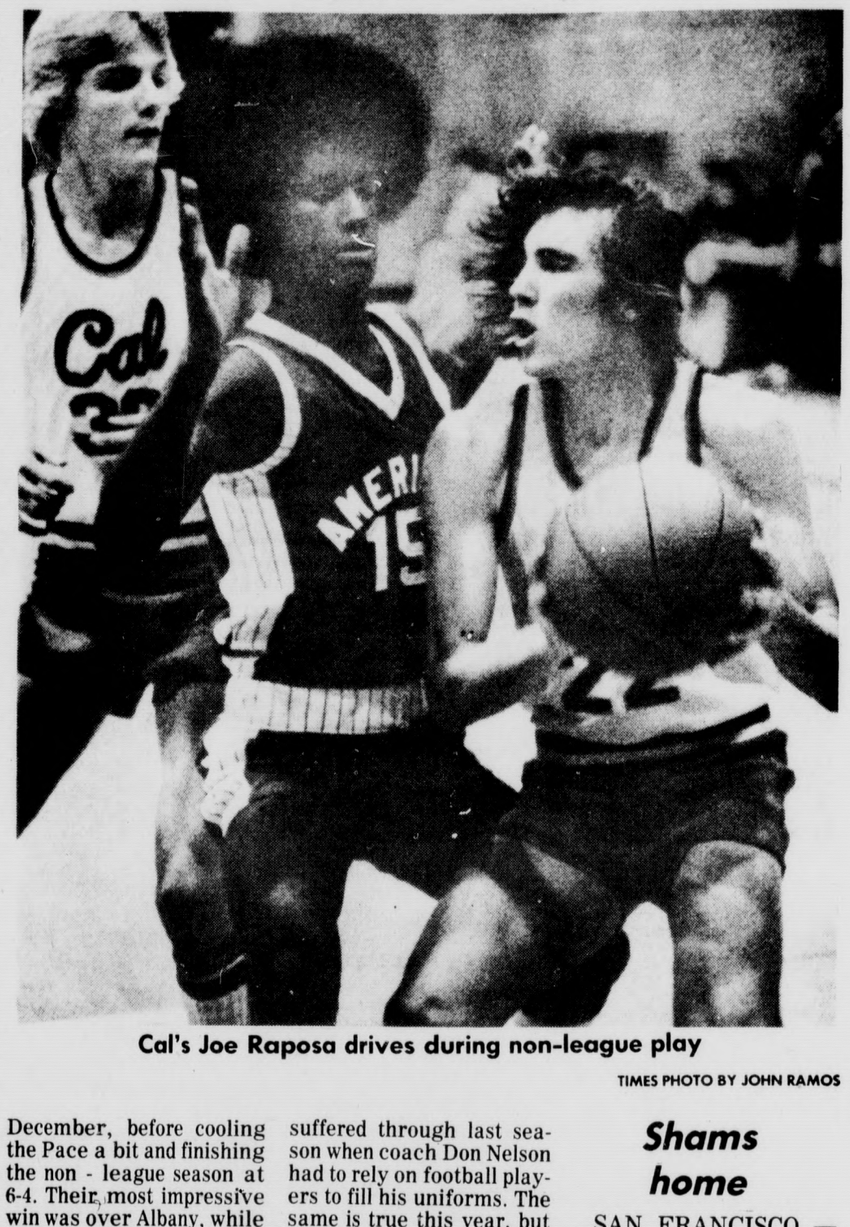
**GRANADA** — Inconsistency plagued the Mats in the pre-season, as they bring a 2-6 record into tonight's game against Livermore. The highlight of their December was a stunning 54-47 upset of previously unbeaten Mission San Jose, winner over Livermore and Dublin by 30-point margins before that game. Their other win was an overtime decision over Liberty. Returning forwards Dan Lambert and Steve Robison lead the Mats, while senior center Scott Morton, forward Matt Watson and guards Scott Fullmer, Wes Karch and Lester Lee round out the Mats who have seen considerable playing time for coach Pat Fracisco, Sr.

**SAN RAMON** — The Wolves are 1-6 in the preseason, their only win a one-point verdict over Salesian. Their biggest defeat thus far this season was a disastrous 75-38 whipping by Albany, a team California beat earlier this year by ten points. Mike Campbell is one of few returning players for the Wolves, who are coached by former Albany High School junior varisty basketball coach Bob Fisher.

**FOOTHILL** — Coach Tom Hansen's Falcons have played a tough pre - season schedule, entering tonight's game with a 2-8 record. The Falcons will count on returning forward Rick Rosenbach to help them this year, but an ankle injury suffered in a tournament may hinder him. Guards Steve Michell and Mitch Pereira add an outside touch to the Falcons, while Steve Haraughty and center Dan Bosold round them out. Mike Buckley adds depth to the Falcon front line.

**CALIFORNIA** — The Grizzlies started out like a house afire by winning their first five games in December, before cooling the Pace a bit and finishing the non - league season at 6-4. Their most impressive win was over Albany, while adding to their list the championship of the Oakmont Basketball Tournament in Oakdale. Coach Bill Herrera looks to forward Chuck Cary for the Grizzly scoring punch, while 6-foot-6 center Mark Kulak helps from one of the tallest front lines in the EBAL. Joe Raposa, Brian Green, Darryl Lamb and Sandy LaBeaux can run the ball well and add to the Cal depth.

**DUBLIN** — The Gaels suffered through last season when coach Don Nelson had to rely on football players to fill his uniforms. The same is true this year, but the Gaels seem more solid. Center Marcus Reese and forwards Dan Pearson and Jeff Barnes have played well for the Gaels, who carry a 3-7 mark into tonight's game with Foothill. Brian Megathen, Dane Seropian, Lane Boespflug and Derrick Woolridge have had a hot touch on occasion for the Gaels, who have the ability to score a lot of points quickly. The Gaels finished fifth at the Del Oro Tournament.



Cal's Joe Raposa drives during non-league play

TIMES PHOTO BY JOHN RAMOS

### Hoop light

RIVERSIDE — Northern California college basketball comes to everything but a halt tonight with only one game on the schedule.

Fresno State, just back from the Ski Classic in Grand Junction, Colorado, travels here to meet University of California at Riverside.

### Shams home

SAN FRANCISCO — The San Francisco Shamrocks resume Pacific Hockey League play tonight with a game against the visiting Long Beach team.

The Shams are 2-2 in PHL play in this the first year of the league. The home stand will continue Friday night against San peigo and Saturday against Phoenix.

# PU girls U-12's win at Fresno

FRESNO — Pleasanton United's Under-12 girls' teams took a 3-2 overtime penalty kick victory over the Fremont Spirits in the finals of the Fresno Holiday Soccer Tournament here last week.

Sarah Harri's overtime penalty kick gave the Pleasanton squad the win after the match ended in regulation time tied at 2-2.

The victory gave Pleasanton a 5-0 record durng the tournament. The win gave Pleasanton United an overall 19-0-1 mark for the season.

Pleasanton United outscored tournament opponents 25-2, gaining four shutouts in the process.

Michele Nieto and Traci Hirst were the offensive stars for Pleasanton, combining for 15 goals. Hirst tallied 10 goals in five games and Nieto had five. Hirst had three-goal hat tricks against the Wotter's Firebirds and Livermore Indian Warriors. Her two goals in the final contest forced the game into overtime play.

Scotti Bascom led the defense for the victors, grabbing 12 saves in the tournament. She had seven in the championship match.

Livermore's Indian Warriors ended the tournament with a 2-2 record. The Indian Warriors had a 4-0 win over the Firebirds and a 3-0 shutout over the Fresno Star Satellites.

Lisa Parkison and Lunette Stribling led the team's offense with three goals apiece. Jennifer Larder added a single goal. Susan Marlowe, Elaine Tirsell and Chris Keup were singled out forgood performances during the tournament.

# Wolfe rolls 244 set

Bob Wolfe fired his season-high of 244 to highlight action in the Granada Bowl last week.

Wolfe had his high game in the Beautitions League. Vickie Hopkins added a 234 in the Reno League.

In the Guys and Dolls League John Chandler narrowly missed a 600 series with a 235 game and 598 series. Chris Bailey led the women in the same league with her 220 game.

Joe Herrington posted a 227 high game and 798 series in Mixed Classic competition. Angel Barsotti added a 219 and 760.

# What's happenin'?

## Moms play while teachers yell

The mothers of students at Sunset School will be playing a powder puff football game at Robertson Park Stadium, Sunday Jan. 22 at 1 p.m.

Male teachers and janitors will drag themselves to the event cross-dressed as cheerleaders and pom-pom persons. The contest is a benefit for outdoor equipment, including athletic facilities, at the school.

Further information is available by calling 443-5954.

**NAT'L KIDS TO INK**

Pleasanton National Little League and Senior League have both announced sign-ups for the coming baseball seasons.

All those between the ages of eight and 15 must register either Saturday, Jan. 14 or Jan. 21 at the Kaiser Research Center between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Evening registration will be conducted Tuesdays, Jan. 17 and 24 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Cultural Arts Center in Pleasanton.

**PALL SIGN-UPS**

Pleasanton American Little and Senior League has scheduled its sign-ups for Saturday, Jan. 7 and Jan. 14 at Walnut Grove School.

Registration will be taken from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Youngsters should be between eight and 15 years old. The official age is that which will be attained prior to Aug. 1, 1978.

All newcomers must have a birth certificate as proof of age.

**GRANADA DUCATS**

Family seasons tickets are now available for Granada High School basketball games.

The cost of $25 includes two adults and their children under high school age and entitles them to admission to all seven home East Bay Athletic League basketball games.

A $12 ticket admits the same group of people to the seven home girls' varsity games. The boys play Wednesday and Friday, while the girls compete Tuesday and Thursday.

**LIVERMORE TICKETS**

Family tickets for boys and girls basketball at Livermore High School are on sale in the school dean's office.

The cost for seven home East Bay Athletic League games is $25 for boys varsity, which plays on Wednesday and Friday nights, or $12 for the girls, who play Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Two adults and an unlimited number of children under high school age are admitted for those prices.

# Scoreboard

## Basketball

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 22 | 11 | .667 | — |
| New York | 20 | 16 | .556 | 3½ |
| Buffalo | 13 | 20 | .394 | 9 |
| Boston | 11 | 23 | .324 | 11½ |
| New Jersey | 8 | 26 | .235 | 14½ |

**Central Division**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 20 | 14 | .543 | — |
| San Antonio | 19 | 16 | .543 | 1½ |
| Cleveland | 18 | 16 | .529 | 2 |
| Atlanta | 17 | 19 | .472 | 4 |
| New Orleans | 14 | 21 | .404 | 6½ |
| Houston | 13 | 20 | .394 | 6½ |

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**

**Midwest Division**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Denver | 22 | 13 | .629 | — |
| Chicago | 20 | 15 | .571 | 2 |
| Milwaukee | 20 | 18 | .526 | 3½ |
| Detroit | 16 | 18 | .471 | 5½ |
| Indiana | 15 | 17 | .469 | 5½ |
| Kansas City | 13 | 22 | .371 | 9 |

**Pacific Division**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 28 | 5 | .848 | — |
| Phoenix | 22 | 13 | .629 | 7 |
| Los Angeles | 17 | 18 | .486 | 12 |
| Seattle | 18 | 20 | .474 | 12½ |
| Golden State | 15 | 20 | .429 | 14 |

**Monday's Games**

No games scheduled

**Tuesday's Games**

Los Angeles 120, New York 117
Denver 101, Washington 100
Detroit 106, Atlanta 103
Phoenix 125, Milwaukee 103
Indiana 104, New Orleans 103
Chicago at Portland

**Today's Games**

Los Angeles at Buffalo
Phoenix at New Jersey
Cleveland at Philadelphia
Atlanta at Detroit
Denver at San Antonio
Indiana at Detroit
Chicago at Golden State
Kansas City at Seattle

### Nuggets 101, Bullets 100

**DENVER (101)**

Jones 3 0-0 6, Thompson 11 4-5 26, Issel 8 5-10 21, Taylor 7 2-4 16, Wilkerson 8 0-0 16, Roberts 2 0-0 4, Ellis 1 2-2 4, Price 4 0-0 8 LaGarde 0 0-0 0, Calvin 0 0-0 0. Totals 44 13-21 101.

**WASHINGTON (100)**

Dandridge 6 4-6 16, Hayes 7 5-9 19, Unseld 3 0-0 6, Chenier 10 3-6 23, Henderson 7 0-0 14, Kupchak 3 7-8 13, Wright 1 0-0 2, Grevey 2 1 2 5, Ballard 1 0-0 2. Totals 40 20-31 100.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Denver** | **27** | **26** | **22** | **26 — 101** |
| **Washington** | **32** | **21** | **24** | **23 — 100** |

Fouled out — Ellis. Total fouls — Denver 27, Washington 24. Technical — Hayes. A — 9,457.

### Lakers 120, Knicks 117

**LOS ANGELES (120)**

Dantley 4 9-11 17, Wilkes 6 2-2 14, Abdul-Jabbar 8 4-4 20, Nixon 11 4-4 26, Hudson 9 8-8 26, Scott 3 4-5 10, Ford 0 0-2 0, Robisch 1 1-1 3, Carr 1 2-3 4, Abernethy 0 0-0 0. Totals 43 34-40 120.

**NEW YORK (117)**

Haywood 10 2-2 22, Shelton 6 0-0 12, McAdoo 17 4-5 38, Cleamons 4 1-2 9, Monroe 8 0-1 16, Knight 1 2-2 4, Wiliams 3 2-2 8, Beard 2 0-0 4, Gondrezick 1 0-2 2, McMillian 1 0-0 2, Jackson 0 0-0 0. Totals 53 11-16 117.

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| **Los Angeles** | **24** | **27** | **40** | **29 — 120** |
| **New York** | **25** | **31** | **31** | **30 — 117** |

Fouled out — None. Total fouls — Los Angeles 18. New York 26. Technicals — New York trainer Whelan, Monroe. A — 17,994.

NOTE — Nixon's 26 points were a career high.

### Suns 125, Bucks 103

**PHOENIX (125)**

Davis 7 5-5 19, Scott 5 0-0 10, Awtrey 1 2-2 4, Buse 3 5-6 11, Westphal 13 8-10 34, Perry 3 3-5 9, Forrest 5 1-2 11, Lee 6 2-2 14, Bratz 1 2-2 4, Heard 4 1-1 9. Totals 48 29-35 125.

**MILWAUKEE (103)**

English 4 1-1 9, Johnson 14 3-6 31, Gianelli 6 0-0 12, Buckner 4 0-0 8, Winters 9 0-0 18, Benson 1 0-2 2, Grunfeld 5 1-1 11, Bridgeman 3 2-2 8, Walton 1 2-2 4, Laurel 0 0-0 0. Totals 47 9-14 103.

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| **Phoenix** | **35** | **29** | **30** | **31 — 125** |
| **Milwaukee** | **34** | **30** | **18** | **21 — 103** |

Fouled out — none. Total fouls — Phoenix 16, Milwaukee 31. A — 8,571.

### Pacers 104, Jazz 103

**INDIANA (104)**

Roundfield 4 1-3 9, Bantom 10 4-5 24, Edwards 4 1-2 9, Sobers 7 2-2 16, Tatum 4 5-6 13, Behagen 3 2-2 8, Williamson 6 2-2 14, Elmore 0 0-0 0, Flynn 2 5-5 9, Bennett 0 2-2 2. Totals 40 24-29 104.

**NEW ORLEANS (103)**

Robinson 4 7-11 15, James 5 3-4 13, Kelley 2 0-0 4, Boyd 1 0-0 2, Maravich 16 6-7 38, Goodrich 5 10-13 20, Meriweather 2 0-0 4, Williams 2 0-0 4, Griffin 1 1-2 3. Totals 38 27-37 103.

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| **Indiana** | **22** | **21** | **38** | **23 — 104** |
| **New Orleans** | | | | |
| **24** | **34** | **26** | **19 — 103** | |

Fouled out — Sobers, Williamson, James. Total fouls — Indiana 30. New Orleans 26. Technical — New Orleans Coach Baylor, Meriweather, Maravich. A — 7,118.

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The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records through Sunday's games and total points. Points based on 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Kentucky (32) | 8-0 | 640 |
| 2. | North Carolina | 10-1 | 549 |
| 3. | Arkansas | 10-0 | 491 |
| 4. | Marquette | 7-1 | 421 |
| 5. | Notre Dame | 7-2 | 356 |
| 6. | Indiana State | 8-0 | 321 |
| 7. | UCLA | 9-1 | 308 |
| 8. | Syracuse | 10-1 | 205 |
| 9. | UNLV | 13-0 | 198 |
| 10. | Louisville | 7-1 | 147 |
| 11. | Indiana | 8-1 | 143 |
| 12. | Cincinnati | 7-1 | 138 |
| 13. | Virginia | 7-0 | 95 |
| 14. | Kansas | 9-2 | 74 |
| 15. | Maryland | 9-1 | 68 |
| 16. | Holy Cross | 7-1 | 35 |
| 17. | Providence | 8-1 | 33 |
| 18. | Michigan State | 8-1 | 21 |
| 19. | San Francisco | 8-3 | 18 |
| 20. | Grgtwn,D.C. | 8-2 | 14 |

## Hockey

**National Hockey League**

**Wales Conference**

**Norris Division**

| | W | L | T | Pts | GF | GA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mntrl | 26 | 7 | 4 | 56 | 143 | 76 |
| LA | 17 | 12 | 6 | 40 | 111 | 88 |
| Pitts | 11 | 19 | 8 | 30 | 121 | 155 |
| Detroit | 11 | 18 | 5 | 27 | 98 | 115 |
| Wash | 8 | 21 | 8 | 24 | 85 | 138 |

**Adams Division**

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 23 | 7 | 6 | 52 | 139 | 90 |
| Buff | 21 | 7 | 8 | 50 | 130 | 94 |
| Toronto | 21 | 10 | 4 | 46 | 127 | 93 |
| Cleve | 10 | 24 | 4 | 24 | 98 | 151 |

**Campbell Conference**

**Patrick Division**

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Phila | 25 | 7 | 4 | 54 | 155 | 83 |
| NY Isl | 21 | 9 | 8 | 50 | 153 | 92 |
| Atlanta | 12 | 14 | 11 | 35 | 104 | 116 |
| NY Rngr | 12 | 16 | 9 | 33 | 127 | 131 |

**Smythe Division**

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 12 | 15 | 10 | 34 | 95 | 101 |
| Vncvr | 11 | 16 | 9 | 31 | 103 | 130 |
| Colo | 8 | 17 | 8 | 24 | 108 | 123 |
| Minn | 9 | 22 | 4 | 22 | 98 | 155 |
| SLouis | 8 | 25 | 4 | 20 | 85 | 149 |

**Tuesday's Games**

N.Y.Islanders 4, Vancouver 1
Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 4
Montreal 2, St.Louis 2

**Today's Games**

Los Angeles at Washington
Vancouver at Pittsburgh
Montreal at Atlanta
Colorado at Toronto
Boston at Chicago
N.Y.Rangers at Minnesota

### Islanders 4, Canucks 1

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Vancouver** | **0** | **0** | **1** | **— 1** |
| **N.Y.Islanders** | **0** | **3** | **1** | **— 4** |

**First Period** — None. Penalties — Hart, NY, 1:06; Monahan, Van, 10:30.

**Second Period** — 1, New York, Gillies 16 (Trottier, Hart), 6:26. 2, New York, D.Potvin 8 (Gillies), 19:03. 3, New York, Nystrom 13 (D.Potvin), 19:28. Penalties — Lewis, NY, 7:55; Harris, NY, 10:10; Ververgaert, Van, major, 17:41; Snepsts, Van, major, 17:41; Howatt, NY, major, 17:41; Price, NY, major, 17:41; Kearns, Van, 17:56.

**Third Period** — 4, New York, Kaszycki 3 (Bourne, Nystrom), 2:23. 5, Vancouver, Gassoff 3 (Stewart, Graves), 12:17. Penalties — Westfall, NY, 4:30; Persson, NY, 16:38.

Shots on goal — Vancouver 8-5-6 — 19. New York 13-11-12 — 36.

Goalies — Vancouver, Ridley. New York, Smith. A — 14,720.

### Flyers 5, Barons 4

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Cleveland** | **1** | **2** | **1** | **— 4** |
| **Philadelphia** | **1** | **2** | **2** | **— 5** |

**First Period** — 1, Cleveland, Gardner 10 (Klassen), 2:49. 2, Philadelphia, Dailey 15 (Clarke), 6:23. Penalties — Hoyda, Phi, 5:55; Crombeen, Cle, 10:44; Dupont, Phi, 13:24.

**Second Period** — 3, Cleveland, Manery 15 (Maruk, Stewart), 2:26. 4, Philadelphia, Barber 20 (MacLeish, Holmgren), 6:44. 5, Philadelphia, Holmgren 4 (Barber, MacLeish), 10:53. 6, Cleveland, Murdoch 8 (McAdam), 18:25. Penalties — Hoyda, Phi, 0:42; Klassen, Cle, 4:21; Dornhoefer, Phi, 4:21; Regier, Cle, 6:26; Stewart, Cle, 9:39.

**Third Period** — 7, Philadelphia, MacLeish 14 (Lonsberry), 7:03. 8, Philadelphia, Kindrachuk 8 (Dean, Bridgman), 12:35. 9, Cleveland, Manery 16 (Maruk, Fidler), 18:26. Penalty — Barber, Phi, 18:19.

Shots on goal — Cleveland 5-7-6 — 18. Philadelphia 7-18-8 — 33.

Goalies — Cleveland, Meloche. Philadelphia, Stephenson. A — 17,077.

### Canadiens 2, Blues 0

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Montreal** | **1** | **1** | **0** | **— 2** |
| **St. Louis** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **— 0** |

**First Period** — 1, Montreal, Cournoyer 13, 3:39. Penalties — Chartraw, Mon, 10:54; Seiling, StL, 15:29.

**Second Period** — 2, Montreal, Shutt 19 (Lemaire), 14:05. Penalties — Engblom, Mon, major, 5:12; Sutter, StL, major-minor, 5:12.

**Third Period** — None. Penalty — Houle, Mon, 4:22.

Shots on goal — Montreal 16-7-8 — 31. St. Louis 7-8-7 — 22.

Goalies — Montreal, Dryden. St. Louis, Myre. A — 10,703

**World Hockey Association**

| | W | L | T | Pts | GF | GA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| NEng | 22 | 8 | 3 | 47 | 140 | 102 |
| Winpg | 21 | 12 | 1 | 43 | 160 | 108 |
| Quebc | 17 | 12 | 1 | 36 | 141 | 132 |
| Edmtn | 15 | 15 | 1 | 31 | 120 | 118 |
| Birm | 14 | 16 | 2 | 30 | 112 | 112 |
| Hstn | 13 | 15 | 2 | 28 | 108 | 124 |
| Cinci | 13 | 19 | 1 | 27 | 112 | 135 |
| Indpls | 9 | 20 | 4 | 22 | 102 | 137 |

**Tuesday's Game**

Soviets 3, Quebec 3

**Today's Games**

Quebec at New England
Houston at Cincinnati
Birmingham at Indianapolis

**Tuesday's Sports Transactions**

**COLLEGE**

KANSAS STATE — Named Gary Darnell, defensive football coordinator and linebacker coach.

**FOOTBALL**

**National Football League**

CHICAGO BEARS — Announced resignation of Sid Gillman and Ross Fichtner, assistant football coaches.

**HOCKEY**

ATLANTA FLAMES — Sent Tim Ecclestone, forward, to Tulsa of the Central Hockey League.

## Bowling

**Granada Bowl results**

**Classic Fours** — Mel Karch, 230-751; Bob Death, 218-766.

**Calamity Janes** — Linda Richards, 183-482; Linda Collins, 174-476.

**Swingers' Mixed 5's** — Herb Dean, 214-550; Judy Goodman, 158-439.

**Cheyene** — Morey Reynolds, 192-561; Jerry Berryman, 203-552.

**Eagles & Friends** — S. Fuller, 188-544; C. Enriquez, 188-540.

**Rene Mixed Fives** — Tom Mills, 200-553; Vickie Hopkins, 234-536.

**P.W.P.** — Ray Lewis, 189-468; Terry McCune, 179-473.

**Beef Steak** — Lydia Soto, 191-541; Claudia Clark, 197-485.

**Instructional League** — K. Jenkinson, 203-539; Kathy Williams,137-394.

**Friday Senior Citizens** — Harvey Sills, 203-565; Erma Baird, 180-444.

**Christian Ladies** — Jackie Zahermick, 179-489; Leather Kosanke, 189-484.

**Beauticians League** — Bob Wolfe, 244-531; Barb Roquszcak, 193-508.

**His and Hers Mixed 4's** — Al Nevis, 208-517; Emma Wremler, 167-479.

**Hawaiian League** — Lee Ham, 200-589; Gloria Venr, 203-559.

**C.B. Radio** — Arkansas Traveler, 186-522; Fat City, 201-551.

**Guys & Dolls** — John Chandler, 235-598; Chris Bailey, 220-543.

**Pin Scramblers** — Ken Mendoza, 179-482; Dona Jensen, 205-481.

**646 Mixed Classic** — Joe Herrington, 227-798; Angel Barsotti,219-760.

**Twelve across twelve** — Russ Russell, 192-538; Corky Graham, 177-498.

**Mon. Sr. Citizens** — Redding, 189-533; I. Opdabl, 192-535.

**Morning Glories** — Marcia Shehan, 192-553; Eleanor Silva, 170-491.

**Christian Ladies** — S.J. Zahrirniak, 179-489; L. Rosenke, 189-484.

**Round Table Jrs.** — Melanie McGuire, 147-387; John Brewer, 176-488.

**Round Table Preps** — Cindy Larsen, 166-311; Eddie Lopez, 128-229; Brad Shehan, 125-229.

**KKIQ Jrs.** — Patty Moneer, 201-467; Joe Gordon, 220-537.

**City Employees** — Betty Motzkus, 182-448; John Lassallette, 210-517.

**Christian Mixed** — Jackie Zahirniak, 188-502; Rick Nulti, 214-513.

**Savings Bond** — Ginny Reichert, 162-459; Larry Hunting, 183-537.

**Valley 800** — Dave Toso, 229-518; Jim Tryscott, 189-522.

**900 Classic** — Don Bastian, 216-170-216-600; Carl Walter, 212-191-207-610.

**Tahoe Mixed** — Linda Brewster, 158-444; Bob Young, 209-545.

# More In the Bag

Cont. from page 16

Leading county in the early season was Mendocino with 2,872 deer reported taken. Leading counties in the late season were Siskiyou and Trinity with 2,653 and 2,550, respectively.

**The State Wildlife Conservation Board** has approved the acquisition of 674 acres of land in nine separate parcels along the Truckee River, development of a public access site on the Fall River and more land in the Napa marsh.

Acquisition of the Truckee River parcels, at a cost of $359,000 will secure in public ownership nearly four miles of frontage along one of the state's finest wild trout streams.

An allocation of $73,200 will go toward the development of a public access site onthe Fall River, Shasta County, under a lease arrangement with Pacific Gas and Electric Co.

Board members approved the allocation of $118,000 for the acquisition of 180 to 200 acres of habitat along the Sacramento River four miles north of the town of Glenn, Glenn County.

A $64,615 allocation will finance the purchase of 188 acres in the Napa marsh six miles southeast of Sonoma, in an area known as Steamboat Slough. The 1,175 - acre marsh is home to the San Pablo Bay area's highest population density of endangered clapper rails.

# Perfect United kicks Fremont

FRESNO — Ballistic United made all five of its penalty kicks in overtime to topple the Fremont Cosmos and win the Under-12 championship in the Fresno Holiday Soccer Tournament last week.

The game ended in regulation time with a 1-1 tie. Gary Daniels scored for Ballistic United and Mike puesterhaus added an assist.

Kevin Mayn, Paul Shuey, Shawn Salazar, Nicky Pearson and David Irish made the penalty kicks for the winners. The Cosmos converted three of four penalty attempts.

Chuck Ogren and Chris Poulos combined for six saves in goal for the winners. Stephen Maciorski, Marty Farris and Mike Sellar and David Morris were defensive standouts.

In the semi-finals Ballistic defeated the Wolters Cherokees 4-2. Duesterhaus and Paul Shuey had single goals and Mayn tallied twice for the victors. Brandon Baxter and Shawn Salazar had assists. Marty Farris and David Morris did well defensively for Ballistic United.

Ballistic United recorded shutouts in four other matches.

In the opener the Pleasanton squad shutout the Tomahawks 4-0. The second game aw Ballistic United beat the San Ramon Spitfires 4-0 as Mayn scored twice. Ballistic crushed the Wilson Wildcats 5-0 in the third contest as Mayn and Scott Stankoeach had two goals.

In the quarter-finals the Pleasanton team smashed Culver City 8-0.

Mayn scored three times in that victory. Gary Daniels added two goals and Duesterhaus, Marty Farris and David Morris each had one tally.

David Irish had an assist as did Duesterhaus.

Gordon Lang and Salazar were defensive standouts for the winners. Ogren and Poulos each had one save in goal.

# Bay Meadows 'Cap

**By DAVE WEBER**
**For Wednesday, January 4, 1977**
**First post 1 p.m.**

Selections, made for a muddy track, appear in order of handicapper's preference. $5 Exacta on 1st, 5th, 7th & 9th races.

B001 — FIRST RACE. One mile pace. Claiming price $6500. Purse $2200.

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 Sly One (Short) | 2 |
| 3 Flash On Pick (Longo) | 5-2 |
| 7 J.D. Front (Dunnigan) | 4 |
| 8 Sidney Brown (D. Ratchford) | 5 |
| 5 Latin Lover (Peterson, Jr.) | 8 |
| 4 Prince Sam (Beitlich) | 10 |
| 1 Timely Vision (Spriggs) | 12 |
| 9 Rusty Joui (Foley) | 15 |
| 6 Senga Hilda (Vallandingham) | 15 |

SLY ONE set pace and lost in a blanket. FLASH ON PICK won while parked out second last. J.D. FRONT raced evenly for fourth.

LONGSHOT — Latin Lover.

B002 — SECOND RACE. One mile pace. 6 Y.O. & under. Conditioned. Purse $1980.

| | |
|---|---|
| 6 K.B. King (Lighthill) | 2 |
| 5 Billie B. Fast (Perry) | 5-2 |
| 2 King King (Succarotte) | 4 |
| 4 Andy's Merino (Todd) | 6 |
| 1 Miss Scoot (D. Crane) | 8 |
| 7 Jo Boro (Barker) | 10 |
| 3 Great Boy John (Foley) | 12 |

K.B. KING fourth in juvy stakes. BILLIE B. FAST fifth in that same contest. KING KING must overcome breaking tendencies.

LONGSHOT — Miss Scoot.

B003 — THIRD RACE. One mile pace. Claiming price $4000. Purse $2000.

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 Caravan (D. Crane) | 2 |
| 10 Spreadeagle (Anderson) | 5-2 |
| 5 The Derwent A (Bernat) | 3 |
| 9 Ozzies Rosy O'Grady (Kazmaier) | 5 |
| 8 Bombers Counsel (Eivins) | 7 |
| 3 Tami's Best (Marohn) | 8 |
| 4 Tennessee Chris (Desomer) | 10 |
| 7 Maybe Primrose (Gregory) | 12 |
| 1 Tomy Dancer (Kuebler) | 15 |
| 6 Local Prince (Perry) | 15 |

CARAVAN returned to form in qualifier. SPREADEAGLE blistered in qualifying loss. THE DERWENT A looks for two of three, could get it.

LONGSHOT — Bombers Counsel.

B004 — FOURTH RACE. One mile pace. Claiming price $6000. Purse $2200.

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 Sepoy Prince (Kuebler) | 2 |
| 6 Jefferson Express (Miskell) | 5-2 |
| 7 Rose Bounds (Beelby) | 4 |
| 4 Vanderhall (Gregory) | 6 |
| 8 Fort Worthy (Amos) | 8 |
| 3 Creeda Hall (Kazmaier) | 10 |
| 1 Lansman (Nauling) | 12 |
| 5 Question A (Desomer) | 15 |

SEPOY PRINCE with leaders in early portions. JEFFERSON EXPRESS runs well from start. ROSE BOUNDS is an improving closer.

LONGSHOT — Vanderhall.

B005 — FIFTH RACE. One mile pace. Claiming price $14,000. Purse $4100.

| | |
|---|---|
| 6 Indefatigable (Goudreau) | 2 |
| 4 Windy Way (Bayless) | 3 |
| 5 Rapid Canny (Desomer) | 7-2 |
| 3 Three Step (Lighthill) | 5 |
| 8 Jopela (Pelling) | 7 |
| 2 Thirteens Best (Longo) | 8 |
| 7 Surf Board (Peterson, Jr.) | 10 |
| 1 James Gem (D. Ratchford) | 12 |

INDEFATIGABLE missed a head after winning second back. WINDY WAY can run both ends. RAPID CANNY closed to be beaten a head last.

LONGSHOT — Jopela.

B006 — SIXTH RACE. One mile pace. 6 Y.O. & under. Conditioned. Purse $2200.

| | |
|---|---|
| 6 Panawa Bay (Kuebler) | 2 |
| 10 Master Vilas (Marhohn) | 3 |
| 5 Hattie McColg (Lighthill) | 4 |
| 1 Taijamon (Vallandingham) | 6 |
| 4 Hot Lips Rankin (Longo) | 8 |
| 8 Tom Crien N (Dunnigan) | 10 |
| 7 Reckless Rod (Lacoste) | 12 |
| 3 Royal Ayesha (Goudreau) | 15 |
| 9 Prudent Jim (Longo-2) | 15 |
| 2 Sheraton N. (Pelling) | 20 |

PANAWA BAY has won or placed last five. MASTER VILAS raced evenly to take third. HATTIE MCCOLG sped to third with similar.

LONGSHOT — Hot Lips Rankin.

B007 — SEVENTH RACE. One mile pace. Claiming handicap, price $24,000. Purse $5200.

| | |
|---|---|
| 5 C.R. Star (Lighthill) | 2 |
| 2 J.J.'s Legaltender (Spriggs) | 5-2 |
| 3 G.C. Childs (Vallandingham) | 3 |
| 1 Duke Woollen (Beitlich) | 5 |
| 8 Chief Dilpomat (Goudreau) | 7 |
| 4 Busy Time Babe (Desomer) | 8 |
| 6 Vanadium (Dunnigan) | 10 |

C.R. STAR swiftest of solid group. J.J.'S LEGALTENDER closed for head win, likes driver. G.C. CHILDS nipped a head with $18,000 horses.

LONGHOT — Vanadium.

B008 — EIGHTH RACE. One mile trot. Claiming handicap, price $20,000. Purse $5000.

| | |
|---|---|
| 5 Shaun Hanover N (D. Ratchford) | 2 |
| 4 Bold Streak (Longo) | 3 |
| 2 Priority (Pelling) | 7-2 |
| 1 Flash (Vallandingham) | 5 |
| 3 J.M. Eddie (Perry) | 8 |
| 6 Travelogue (Goudreau) | 10 |

SHAUN HANOVER has early speed, driver switch. BOLD STREAK closedto drop a half-length tilt. PRIORITY N lost by neck twice.

LONGSHOT — Flash.

B009 — NINTH RACE. One mile pace. Claiming price $12,000. Purse $3300.

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|---|---|
| 8 Cane Cutter (Pelling) | 2 |
| 6 Senga Lexie (Beelby) | 3 |
| 3 Brets Scotch Key (Kuebler) | 5 |
| 1 Great Irish (Desomer) | 6 |
| 9 Kamahl (Kazmaier) | 8 |
| 5 Mister Music (D. Crane) | 10 |
| 7 Jumal (Todd) | 12 |
| 2 Kerry's Dream (Gregory) | 12 |
| 4 Deck Hand (Goudreau) | 15 |

CANE CUTTER qualified with swift group, has four wins in last 11. SENGA LEXIE closed strongly. BRETS SCOTCH KEY has nowhere to go, but up.

LONGSHOT — Kamahl.

BEST BET — Cane Cutter in 9th.

BEST CHANCE PLAY — Travelogue in 8th.


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# TIMES WANT ADS

**Just Call 462-4165**

**3 Lines**

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| 1 Day | $1.80 |
| 2 Days | 3.10 |
| 3 Days | 4.50 |
| 4 Days | 5.40 |
| 5 Days | 6.30 |

**4 Lines**

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| **1 Day** | **$2.30** |
| **2 Days** | **3.80** |
| **3 Days** | **5.50** |
| **4 Days** | **6.90** |
| **5 Days** | **7.80** |

**DEADLINES**

For Starts
12 noon Mon. for Tues. publication
12 noon Tues. for Wed.
12 noon Wed. for Thurs.
12 noon Thurs. for Fri.
12 noon Fri. forSun.

For Stops & Corrections
12 noon Mon. forTues.
12 noon Tues. foR Wed.
12 noon Wed. for Thurs.
12 noon Thurs. for Fri.
12 noon Fri. forSun.

There is a $1.80 service charge for canceling or changing ads before they appear.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 2. Business Personals

**DIVORCE ★ LEGAL**
**Best personal qualified help**
**From start to finish**
$75 + filing or buy $6 book
**DIVORCE CENTERS OF CALIF.**
Fremont.....792-1022
Hayward.....785-5551

**FINANCIAL PROBLEMS?**
**BANKRUPT?**
**NEED U.S. GOVT. WAGE EARNER PLAN (Ch. 13)?**
Stop debt harassment, suits, wage attachments. Keep home, car, furn., $2500/more. We file Bnkrpt. & Chpt. 13 papers. Offer counseling on money problems & how to deal with collectors. 24 Hour, 7 Day Service.
**NEW LIFE COUNCIL 658-8390**

**LEGAL DIVORCE WITHOUT ATTORNEY**
**24 Hr., 7 Day Service**
Complete processing thru Final. Call us for help from start to finish. Time payment-no extra.
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### 8. Services Offered

**FIX-ALL!** Install & repair applics. Heating, plumbing, cptry., & elect. 828-4334.

**GENERAL CARPENTRY** Remodel, repairs, patios, no job too small. Call Sam at 828-1826.

**GENERAL HANDYMAN**
443-1978

**PAINTING** int., ext., reasonable rates. Call Doug or Kurt. 447-6176.

**SEE OUR BUSINESS & SERVICE GUIDE. RENT A SPACE FOR $30 PER MONTH. WE HAVE SPECIALISTS TO SERVICE YOUR EVERY NEED.**

For best results, keep Classified ads short and to the point.

462-4165

the FAMILY ADAMS
I DON'T KNOW WHAT HE DID...BUT IT MUST BE BAD....HE JUST WALKED IN THE HOUSE AND SAT IN THE CORNER..
MAKE GOOD THINGS HAPPEN BY SELLING YOUR "DON'T NEEDS" WITH ECONOMICAL TIMES ACTION ADS
Times ACTION ADS

### 10. Building Services

**CONCRETE** & brick work. Redwood decks, etc. For free est. call Alex, 482-5396 or eves. 482-1809.

### 19. Tax Work/Bookprs.

**ACCURATE TAX SERVICE**
Serving Dub., Liv., Pleas. & San Ramon. Free pick-up your home. Lic. Call 24 hrs. 462-2157.

## INSTRUCTION

### 22. Instruction

**★ FREE ★**
**SPANISH CONVERSATION CLASSES**
Starting in Jan. for beg. & adv. beg. by retired USF professor.
462-1968.

**GUITAR, DRUMS, PIANO**
Voice, Banjo, Bass
Truman Lee Guitar Studio
**829-1896 aft. 1:30 p.m.**

### 26. Licensed Day Care

**DAY CARE** my home. Ages 3 & up. Reasonable rates. Dublin school area. 462-3150.

## EMPLOYMENT

### 30. Help Wanted

**ACCOUNTING CLERK**
Immed. opening, now available for a general acct. clerk with 2-3 yrs. experience. Duties include payables, bank reconciliations, & scheduling general ledger accts. We offer excellent fringe benefits & pleasant working conditions. Mon. through Fri. 8:30 a.m-5:00 p.m. Starting salary $600 - $650/mo. For consideration, apply directly to the Personnel Dept. Viacom Cablevision, 6640 Sierra Lane, Dublin. (directly behind K-Mart)

**AREA REP**
Full time, part-time, permanent job. Earnings to $6/hr. Car, phone & references necessary. Students welcome. Must be 18 or over. Complete Management-training for advancement opportunity for career minded persons. Earnings up to $15,000 us. For interview call **Mr. Brandt 828-5945 or 938-7395.**

**BANK MANAGER TRAINEES**
To $1000 - Unfortunately credit - not love makes the world go around! Learn all phases w/respected industry leader!!
**829-3330**
**CAREERMAKERS**
Agency
**7033 Village Pkwy, Dublin**

**BOOKKEEPER**
Co. nego. fee! $800/Mo.! Excel. benefits! Advancement! Also Fees.

**CPA BACKUP**
Fee Paid! To $18K! Right hand to CPA! Excel. benefits! Also Fees

Souther
Personnel Agency
Phone 933-8700
1430 Arroyo Way, Walnut Creek

**CLERK TYPIST**
$700/month! Variety! Plus excel. benefits! Hurry! Won't last long!
**RECEPT./TYPIST**
To $650/mo! Fee Paid! Variety! Excellent benefits! Hurry! Also fees.

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**DINNER HOUSE**
**MGR. TRAINEES TO $1000**
Train in casual elegance with growing chain! Emphasis on superb food, delightful atmosphere and friendly service!
**829-3330**
**CAREERMAKERS**
Agency
**7033 Village Pkwy, Dublin**

### 30. Help Wanted

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**
**PUBLIC RELATIONS**
To $600! MEET & GREET! Help schedule & motivate busy young execs. in plush office.
**829-3330**
**CAREERMAKERS**
Agency
**7033 Village Pkwy, Dublin**

**DIABLO AGENCY**
**Equipment Lease Trnee**
Minimum 2 yrs. College
Banking or Fianance Helpful
**$800 PER MONTH**
**828-6620**
**6990 Village Pkwy Dublin**
Equal Opportunity Agency m/f/h

**EXEC. SECTY**
To $14K! Busy office needs sharp you! Excellent benefits! Call now!
**SALES SECTY**
**LOCAL!** To $800/month! Variety with super boss & excel. benefits!

Souther
Personnel Agency
Phone 933-8700
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**KEYPUNCH**
Permanent, part-time position in Dublin. Hours: 8 p.m. to mid night. Contact 829-3800 ext. 36 Bessie Ditz (6:30 p.m to 8:30 p.m.) Mon.-Fri. EOE.

**MATURE HOUSEKEEPER/CHILD CARE,** sporadic schedule, 1 child 7 yrs. References 443-4173.

**MEDICAL**
**RECEPTIONIST TRNEE**
To $675! Out front attitude & appearance need for bright young physician!
**829-3330**
**CAREERMAKERS**
Agency
**7033 Village Pkwy, Dublin**

**MGR. TRAINEES**
**14 LOCAL OPEN**
**$860 to $1200**
Start the happiest of New Years w/Int'lly famous giant: Complete OJT allows lot line mgmt. in just 6 mo. Mid-mgmt. thereafter! Benefits include medical/life/dental. Profit sharing and stock options!!
**829-3330**
**CAREERMAKERS**
Agency
**7033 Village Pkwy, Dublin**

**TYPIST**
70 w.p.m. Hours 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Mon. through Fri. Applications ONLY! Avail. from 9 a.m to 4 p.m. Mon. through Fri.
Trans America Title Ins. Co.
6850 Regional St.
Dublin, CA.

### 31. Part-time & Temporary

**DIABLO/TEMP NOW RECRUITING**
TYPISTS
10-KEY OPERATORS
SECRETARIES
FOR LOCAL NO FEE TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENTS
**828-6620**
**6990 Village Pkwy Dublin**
**Equal Opportunity Employer m/f**

**GENERAL OFFICE**
**A NEW YOU FOR THE NEW YEAR!**
Many of our most talented secretaries, typists and general office temporary employees came to us after being away from the work force for 10 to 20 yrs. Working on carefully selected assignments at top companies in your area is an excellent means of regaining lost skills, developing new ones and gaining recent work experience. We are now offering a FREE one day "brush-up" course to new applicants. Come in today for details.
**KELLY GIRL**
**1875 Olympic Blvd. Suite 120**

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| **Walnut Creek** | **933-6290** |
| Dublin | 828-2330 |
| El Cerrito | 526-0826 |

(16 Bay Area Locations)
Equal Opportunity Employer F/M

### 31. Part-time & Temporary

**PART TIME OPTOMETRIC ASST.,** Livermore. Send resume to PO Box 551, Livermore, Ca. 94550.

**RETAIL SALES**
Ambitious persons who want to earn but who can only work part-time. Opportunity for good extra income. Assistance given. Call Mel (6-6:30 p.m) 447-2425. MD & Associates.

### 32. Salespeople

**CONSIDER US!!**
VILLAGE REALTY has a program to fit your needs. Six different commission schedules so you can choose your own program up to 100%. Three modern offices with openings in Livermore, Pleasanton, or Dublin. **VILLAGE REALTY** will train you or you can receive 100% of your commission if you qualify on our program. Call **DON** or **EDNA** at **447-2323** or **829-2323.**

**CONSIDER!!**
**Good Sales People**
**ARE**
**TRAINED-NOT BORN!**
and neither are doctors, lawyers, dentists or engineers.

You can be an outstanding salesman or saleswoman, earn $12,000, $14,000, $16,000, $20,000 or more your first year.
**YOU NEED TO BE**
- Age 21 or over
- Ambitious
- Energetic
- Sports Minded
- Have a High School education or better

**YOU WILL!**
- Attend 2 weeks of school in S.F., expenses paid
- Guaranteed at least $800 a month to start.

**IF YOU QUALIFY WE GUARANTEE TO !!**
- Teach & Train you in our successful sales methods.
- Assign you to the sales area of your choice under the direction and guidance of a qualified sales director.
- Provide the opportunity for you to advance into management as fast as your ability will warrant.

Equal Opportunity Company M/F Call now for personal interview. Kurt Knabke at 661-6414, between 9 & 4 Mon. thru Fri.

**HERITAGE GALLERY OF HOMES IS EXPANDING**
We have openings for qualified professional salespeople in Dublin, Pleasanton, Livermore and Lafayette. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY. 1. Comprehensive training program. 2. Incentive compensation. 3. Professional management support. 4. Re-location referral system. 5. National advertising. For confidential interview information phone JoAnna Dixon, 828-6060.

The Gallery OF HOMES 828-6060
HERITAGE REALTORS

### 33. Employment Agencies

**DIABLO AGENCY**
**Medical Receptionist**
$4.00 An Hour

**Insurance Clerk**
To $650/Monthly

**Sales Secretary**
Employer Splits Fee! Local! $800/monthly

**Secty to Regional Mgr.**
$190/Week, Fee Paid! Local!

**General Office**
Type 60 wpm, Salary D.O.E.

**Sales Secretary**
To $800/Monthly

**Warranty Service**
$750/Monthly

**Executive Secretaries**
(2), Corporate Office
Growing Co.! Fee Paid! $800/Mo.
HAPPY NEW YEAR!
**From Mary & Sharon**
★★★★★★★
**828-6620**
6990 Village Pkwy Dublin
Equal Opportunity Agency m/f/h

### 33. Employment Agencies

**LOOKING FOR A JOB?**
**Start Here-**
**ARROYO AGENCY**
**61 So. Liver. Ave., Liv.**
**447-3959 447-3962**

### 35. Domestics

**NEED BABYSITTER** near Fallon School District, Dub. 2 school age children, toddler. Call late eves. 829-4373.

### 36. Employment Wanted

**BABYSITTING** - My Home. Rincon & Marilyn School areas. Drop-ins Welcome! Call 443-3899.

## LIVESTOCK, PETS

### 37. Pets & Services

**FOUND 12/28** child's character watch w/blk. band. Vic: Walnut Grove School. Owner ID. Pleas. PD. 846-3202.

**FOUND:** Grey striped male neutered cat. 443-7355 or 443-6336.

**FREE** to good home: 4 pups. 6 weeks old; 3 females, 1 male. 447-1860 or 846-5776.

**FREE TO GOOD HOME.** 9 mo. old male Golden Lab. Good with children. 828-2768.

**LOVABLE** 2 yr. old female Sheltie mix. Spayed. All shots. Great companion. Free to loving home. 443-7890.

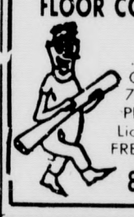
## MERCHANDISE

### 44. Camera Supplies

**CASH,** for your used photo equip. We trade-in too. Sorry no phone est.
**PHOTO CENTER**
**1325 Main Street, Walnut Creek**

### 48. Home Furnishings

**BEDS BEDS BEDS**
Brand new irregulars, mismatch odds & ends, hundreds in stock, all sizes of soft, medium, firm, extra firm. 4 Bay Area mattress makers ship us their irregulars just for this event. MISMATCH sets-twins $39.00, fulls $49.00, MATCHED SETS Twin $49.00, fulls $59.00, Queen $99, Kings $110. MATTRESS ONLY-Twins $25-$44, Fulls $30-$53, Queens $55 to $75, Kings $75 to $115. WE GUARANTEE: NO INTERNAL DAMAGE. Problems so minor we'll need to point them out. Bank cards O.K. OPEN Weekdays 11-8 p.m., Sat. 10-5 p.m., closed Sun.
**MATTRESS BROKERS**
**1348 Galindo St., Con.**
**676-5026**

**McCurley FLOOR COVERING**

Carpet, Linoleum, Ceramic Tile
7022 Village Pkwy., Dublin
Lic. No. 27532
FREE ESTIMATES
**828-9660**

**NEED $$$?**
**Borrow On Your Home Equity**
- NO Credit Check
- NO Income Qualifications
- NO Employment Requirements

**ANY PURPOSE IS OK**
**Allstate Equity Home Loans**
**State Lic. Loan Brokerage Corp.**
**DUBLIN CONCORD**
**837-6055 676-8150**

### 50. Articles For Sale

**MOVING SALE!** Wed.-Sat. Baby items & clothes, maternity clothes, king bed, sewing machine, luggage, sleeping bag. Lots of misc. Cheap! 7658 Landale, Dublin. 828-5471.

**NEW** Herculon corner group. Was $250, sell for $175. Phone 828-8955.

**XMAS SPECIAL.** Harris Deluxe Outfit, $114. Harris Starter Outfit, $99. 1 set customer owned cylinders 122 & no.4, $167.
**HEATH'S WELDING SUPPLY**
**6743 Dublin Blvd. No. 30.**
**829-5511.**

## FINANCIAL

### 61. Business Opps.

**PET SHOP**
$9,000
**Good Inventory**
**Good Trade**
**Good Terms**
**Sellers Relocating!**
**Don't Miss This One!!**
**GIANT PROPERTIES**
**443-8400**

### 63. Money to Loan

**CALL US LAST!**
Compare our rates on home loans. Stop by or call one of our loan officers to discuss your financial needs.
**OWEN'S MORTGAGE COMPANY**
**990 Moraga Rd., Lafayette**
**CALL 284-5511**
We purchase trust deeds and arrange financing on all types of real estate in California or Nevada.

**BUSINESS FINANCING**
**GOVERNMENT GUARANTEED**
**TERMS TO 15 YEARS**
Business loans are readily available at very attractive interest rates and guaranteed by an agency of the United States government.
Are you starting a new business, expanding, need equipment or machinery, or just working capital? If so why not take advantage of a bank loan which the United States government will guarantee for you? **For information call Cregg Financial Services, 938-5860.**

### 80. Homes for Rent

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**PRIVATE PARTIES & AGENTS**

## APARTMENTS

**FOR RENT:** This space to advertise your apartment for rent. Only $7.80 for 2 double lines for 1 week.

## CONDOS

**LIV.** - Duplex, 2 bdrm., cpts., drps., adults, No pets. $225/mo Avail. now. Lease. 242 No. K St. 455-6227.

## HOMES

**DUB.** - 3 bdrm., 2 bath home. Super sharp. $355/mo. Ask for Mike Friddle. 829-4300.
**DUB.** 3 bdrm., 2 bath, enclosed yard, stove, refrig., cpts., drapes. Close to schools. $385/mo. Call 828-5908.
**DUB.** Sharp 3 bdrm., 2 bath home. Echo Park. $350/mo. Ask for Jim Happ. 462-2885.
**DUB.** 4 bdrm., 2 bath, shake roof, quiet court. $375/mo. VINTAGE REALTY, Ron Santos. 462-2885 or (916) 644-3917.
**DUB.** Prime 4 bdrm., 2 bath. Super location. $365/mo. plus dep. Call 279-9500.
**LIV.** 4 bdrm., 2 bath, frplc., lrg. yard, small pets OK. Somerset area. $375/mo. UNITED CALIFORNIA BROKERS. 829-2800.
**LIV.** 3 bdrm., 2 bath, vacant. Rhonewood Park. Kids OK, NO pets! $375/mo. Call AGENT, 455-9569.
**LIV.** Super Sunset home. Granada area. 3 bdrm., 2 bath, cpts., drapes, extra large fam. rm. $350/mo. 846-0562.
**LIV.** Beautiful 4 bdrm., home w/cathedral ceilings, frplc. $360/mo. 443-0386 or 447-8686.
**LIV.** - Avail. now. Nice 3 bdrm., 2 bath home. $300/mo. UNITED CALIFORNIA BROKERS. 829-2800.
**LIV.** - 5 bdrm., 2 bath, pool (service incl.), air, 2300 sq. ft. $450/mo. AGENT. 447-2440 or 846-0790.
**LIV.** - Somerset. Vacant, clean, freshly painted 4 bdrm., 2 bath home w/cpts., drapes, AEK, & patio. $345. Call Carole Waller - OWNER AGENT 828-8705 or 846-6457.
**PLEAS.** Avail. Jan. 1. 3 bdrm., 2 bath, super clean, super area, air cond. $150 sec., 1st & last. $410/mo. Call HARRIS REALTY 846-5900.
**PLEAS.** 3 bdrm., 2½ bath, executive home. Immed. occupancy. Pleas. Heights. $450/mo. CENTURY 21 GASLAMP. 846-8850.
**PLEAS.** - Avail. Jan. 1st 3 bdrm., 2 bath, Val Vista. 1st & last. $150 sec. dep. $395/mo. Call HARRIS REALTY. 846-5900.
**PLEAS,** 3 bdrm., 2 bath, fam. rm., AEK, cpts., drapes. Good cond. $375/mo. 934-2503.
**PLEAS** - Pleas. Meadows, 4 bdrm., 2 bath. Avail. immed. $450 plus deps. Call AGENT - Jim Drush. 846-5900 or 846-1362.
**PLEAS.** 3 bdrm., 2 bath, inside laundry, breakfast area. $375. Call HARRIS REALTY. 846-5900.
**PLEAS.** Vacant 1/1/78. 3 bdrm., 2 bath. Close to schools. $395. Call HARRIS REALTY. 846-5900.
**SAN RAMON.** 3246 Casa Grande Dr. 4 bdrm., 1½ bath. $350/mo. 1st & last. Sec. dep. $100. HERITAGE GALLERY OF HOMES. 462-6060.
**SAN RAMON** - 4 bdrm., 2 bath, $380/mo. plus dep. 447-7033.

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**LIVERMORE**
Super 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with Pool. Close to Labs 6 Month Lease, $425 first + $100. Call **443-0303 - AGENT.**

**PLEASANTON,** immed. occupancy. 3 bedrm., 2 bath. $350/mo. BETTER HOMES REALTY 462-4200.

**PLEAS:** 1 bdrm. Vintage Hills, view of the Valley, cov. parking, storage rm. $205/mo. 462-1489.

**WE LOVE KIDS!**
Livermore, Rhonewood Pk., luxuriously decorated, close to the Lab. Ride your bike to work. Children are OK. $375/mo. Agent, 455-9569.

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**FOUR VACANCY'S** at Livermore State Lic. Care Home. For adults. Call 443-1041 or 846-8930.

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**BE A QUITTER**
Quit paying rent and move into this super Condo instead. Single story end unit with a 2 car garage and private patios. Freshly painted all you have to do is move in!!

The Gallery OF HOMES 443-0303
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**CASTRO VALLEY**

**THIS YEAR.... LIVE!!**
A street with character winding up and down, beautiful homes at all elevations. This lovely 4 bedroom home has privacy and is designed for a good life. Lots of security. Drive in your ground floor garage then walk thru a sumptuous Rumpus Room into a cozy Kitchen. Surrounded by a home designed by an architect who must have loved people. Start the best years of your life and call Judy.

Century 21 CLASSIC REALTY
837-2100 829-2100

**CLAYTON**

**COUNTRY CHARMER**
**BY OWNER**
Divorce causes. Rustic peaceful setting in prestigeous Regency Woods. 14 Mo. new 3 bdrm., below market value. 1750 sq. ft., air cond., huge lot. Immaculate in every detail. Fully Upgraded! 829-3330 or 825-7818.

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**BUMPER STICKER**
Bump into this one and you'll be stuck on it! This upgraded home features lovely family kitchen and warm cozy fireplace for your indoor enjoyment. A large yard and covered patio for your outside activities. Convenient location too!!

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**SAVE $100 A MONTH**
New FHA financing reduces monthly payments approx. $100/month. It's true!! You can buy this 3 bedroom with HUGE lot, spacious, bright, cheery kitchen. IMMACULATE interior. Only $58,500.

Tri-Valley BROKERS 828-8700

**WHERE ELSE**
....can you get so much for so little. Nicely decorated, sharp 3 bedroom, 2 bath, close to schools and shopping with so many extras. Extended panelled family room, upgraded kitchen, the exterior is a delight with built-in BBQ with sink, covered patio and automatic timed sprinklers..... $59,950. See it today!
Pleasanton 846-5900
HARRIS REALTY

### 63. Money to Loan

**HOME EQUITY LOANS**
or refinanced up to $90% of appraised value. Also avail. mobile home financing. Call **CREGG FINANCIAL SERVICES, (415) 938-5860.**

## RENTALS

### 73. Rooms for Rent

**EAST SIDE LIVERMORE.** Run of house. Kit. & laundry priv. $125/mo. Aft. 5 p.m. 443-2027.

**ROOM FOR RENT**
Prefer older woman.
846-2065.

### 77. Share Rentals

**RESPONSIBLE** female wanted to share 3 bdrm. Liv. home. Child OK, pet neg. 447-3622

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**SAVE $100 A MONTH**
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Now you need a place to live, rent is high, so why not buy? New carpet, fresh paint inside and out. Large lot. Good condition 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. $58,950.

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### TRANSFERRED SELLER

.....wants a quick sale. Price reduced to $65,950. 3 bedroom spacious home with fireplace, family room, gourmet kitchen, no wax floor, newer carpets and manicured yard.

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### $1250 DOWN

Plus closing costs will purchase this sharp 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Open beamed ceilings in living room, plush shag carpets, sunny kitchen, large corner lot with side yard access....$55,950.

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### CURB APPEAL

Super nice starter home in quiet neighborhood. Large deck on side of home. For price you can do a little fixing up. Call us for details. $52,500.

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Big Spanish Surprise here in this large 4 bedroom, 2 bath Home. Has shake roof, and 1600 sq. ft. of COMFORT!

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### FIVE BEDROOM

With Swim Pool. Sunset West Area. Tons of Cabinets, Fire Alarms and the list goes on. $63,950.

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### GOOD BUY

Three bedroom home with electric kitchen, self-cleaning oven and dishwasher. Finished attic. Full insulation. Grab this one quick!

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### JUST RIGHT

Is this conveniently located super home. New tile entry, electric kitchen, luxury carpets, custom drapes and rods. Extra large master bedroom with large dressing room. Super neat and clean - only $69,950.

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### LET'S GO TO THE COUNTRY

And enjoy the 5 acres plus nearly new home. You cannot find a better buy in the Valley! Call today!

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## LIVERMORE

### LIFE'S A HOLIDAY ON PRIMROSE LANE

The home which I have chosen to feature this week is truly a dream house. Pride of ownership shows thruout this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. $57,500. For an exclusive appointment call Judy Giles.
829-1212 828-7829

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### MANY GOODIES

....in this improved property. 3 bedroom with new rumpus room flooring and new bath vanity tops. Many more surprises. Let us show you $64,950.

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### NEED

A Family who wants a clean sharp, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, forced air heat, fireplace, all elect. kitchen, plus covered redwood deck and more!! $57,500.

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### NUMBER 1

Is this beautifully appointed 2 bedroom home with family room and detached garage. $59,950.

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### OWN A PIECE OF THE BLOCK

For a approx. $10,000 assumption on this 3 bedroom super sharp home. Fenced and landscaped. Dog Run. Many more items. Call today!!

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### POOR BABY

All this 7 Room, 4 bedroom, 2 bath Home needs is a little Tender Loving Care. Make offer. $63,950.

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### ROOM TO ROAM

Made for the Large Family. This home has 6 bedrooms and 3 full baths. Play in the back yard with its many fruit trees or relax on the covered patio or the upstairs sun deck. It's easy to keep clean with a built-in vacuum and self-cleaning ovens. Exclusive with:

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Lovely 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with large enclosed patio room. Backs up to open field. Wall to wall carpets. Close to schools ..... 65,950.

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### SUNSET 2-STORY

Customized 3 bedroom, 2½ bath home with central air, plush carpets, super enlarged family room, formal dining and extras. Large laundry room. **$88,950.**

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### SUPER AREA!

Leland Heights 3 bedroom with sunken rumpus room, new carpeting in living areas. Hardwood floors, air conditioning and screened in porch make easy living. Call today for details ....$60,500.

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### THE BEST YEAR OF YOUR LIFE

Will become reality in this lovely 3 bedroom home. A very large unfinished room upstairs can be completed in the way you WANT IT! Lovely front and back yards, neighbors show pride in ownership. Sellers are anxious to sell - $76,500.

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## LIVERMORE

### THE HEAT IS ON

So come and see this beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath which includes family room and fireplace. Freshly painted inside and out. Large side yard access. Central air. $54,950.

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Tri-Valley BROKERS 462-2770

## PLEASANTON

### JUST ONE GLANCE

And you will know this is the house for you. Spacious 5 bedroom, executive home with family size kitchen, panelled family room with wet bar, low maintenance yard in a lovely neighborhood with swim club, $111,900.

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### LOOK AT THIS!

4 bedroom, 2½ bath, air conditioned and much more! $56,950.
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### SIX PLEX

Excellent tax shelter, great future potential. All 2 bedrooms, 1½ baths. Excellent location, central air, AEK, pool. Call for your preview....$210,000.
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### VALLEY VIEW

This tri level is tastefully decorated. Extras include ceramic tile entry, custom drapes, upgraded carpeting, air, patio and more. Excellent Pleasanton location $83,950.

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### CHARMER

In Vintage Hills has attractive mature landscaping and inside is even better! New carpets and new no-wax linos. 4 bedroom, 2½ baths. $93,950.

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### DEEP IN THE HEART

Of exclusive horse country! On Highland Rd. off Tassajara sits a lovely ranch with many, many extras. 6 acres with a 3 bedroom home, barn, chicken coops, sheep pens, excellent well, fenced and cross fenced. Home is cozy with heatilator fireplace, electric kitchen and much more $135,000.

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### DEL PRADO BEAUTY

5 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2506 sq. ft., with all the extras like pantry in kitchen, fireplace in family room, formal dining, inside laundry, upgraded carpeting, air conditioning, covered deck, sprinklers front and rear, side yard access for that RV or boat. See it today!! $99,500.

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### PLEASANTON MEADOWS

Best value in town, huge master bedroom, step-down family room with fireplace, central air, self-clean oven. Close to tennis, pool & green belt .....$84,000

### $10,000

Price reduction on this lovely country 1 acre estate. Spanish style roof, huge rooms throughout, formal din., lg. family rm. with fireplace. Lots of custom features. Surrounded by beautiful trees... $159,950

### TOP OF THE LINE!!!

Absolutely no comparison, most beautiful 4 bedroom home in its class. Gorgeous carpets & drapes, decorated to perfection. Extras galore.. $76,950

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## PLEASANTON

### SOLID VALUE

Excellent condition, 5 bdrm. home with wall to wall carpeting, drapes, breakfast bar in All electric kitchen, loads of storage. Low maintenance yard. Just reduced, $88,950.

### 100%

Immaculate home located on private court. Family room with fireplace, panelling, wallpaper, top grade carpet, custom drapes. EXTRAS! $70,950.

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### HELP!

Owner purchased another and must sell this lovely home. Air conditioned, heated & filtered pool, enclosed patio. 4 bedroom, 2 bath. One year home warranty and lots more. $84,500.

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### STUNNINGLY DESIGNED

From this fine delightful 4 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, step down family room with beam ceiling, unique master bedroom. Cabana Club with pool. Great buy. $79,950.

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### WORDS GET AROUND

Owner frantic, deal fell through. Charming 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, family room, upgraded carpets and drapes. Pool size lot. It's a steal. $83,500.

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## SAN RAMON

### ROOM TO ROAM

In this Spacemaster model. Featuring 2300 sq. ft., 5 bedrooms, formal dining, family room and many other surprise features. Only $89,950.

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### TWIN CREEKS
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### BIG FAMILY

Needed for this 2 story, 4 bedroom. Dorm sized bedrooms, entertainment sized formal dining, snuggly fireplace, bright, cheery kitchen plus a heated and filtered POOL.... $82,950.

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### OWNER TRANSFERRED

Must leave this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. Fireplace, side yard access. One year home warranty and many other features. $63,500.

REALTY WORLD
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### NEW FOR '78

Just Listed! Mr. Builder and Mrs. Clean's home. Everything is upgraded starting with carpets, drapes and ceramic tile entry. Outside is covered redwood deck and lots more! All for only $83,000.

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### OFF WITH THE OLD - ON WITH THE NEW!

Fix up this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home and enjoy your new SURROUNDINGS! Close to schools and shopping. This home could be a Doll House! $65,500.

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### ONE OF THE BEST

Homes on the market. Only 6 months old. Many upgrades and decorated to perfection. Air conditioned, has wet bar in family room, garage is fully finished with workbench and there is side access. A must see at only $95,950.

Pleasanton 846-5900
HARRIS REALTY

## SAN RAMON

### START OUT THE NEW YEAR

... in this 5 bedroom, 2 story, new listing! Bright kitchen, huge family room, formal dining. This one won't last at $89,950.

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### ZIP

into the cul-de-sac and find this sharp four bedroom home. Homemakers Kitchen has all the conveniences. Includes indoor/outdoor carpeting. Easy care landscaping with side access. Lots more at only **$80,500.**

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### MOBILE HOME

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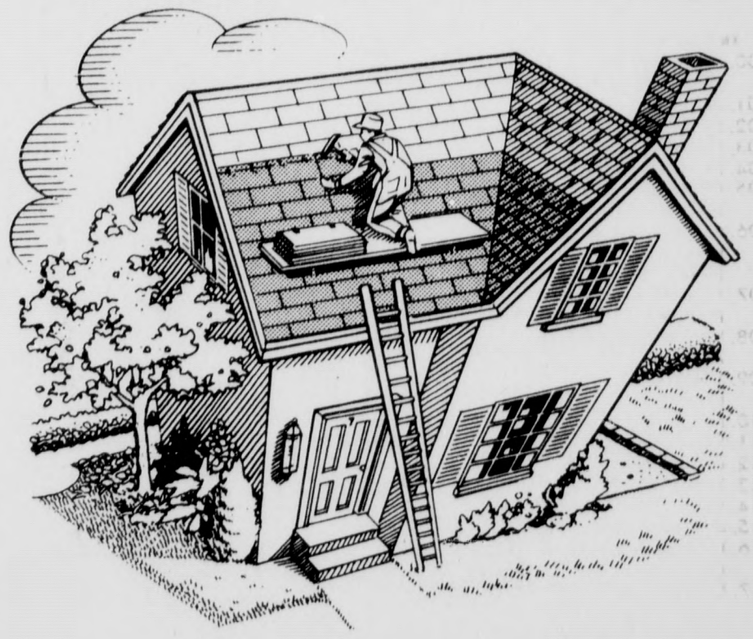

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